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Births.

ANDREWS.—August 18, at her residence, Rockleigh, Railway-road, St. Peters, the wife of S. J. Andrews, of a daughter.

AYLING.—August 12, at her residence, Best-street, Wagga, Mrs. F. D. Ayling, of a daughter.

BRINDLEY.—August 13, at North Shore, the wife of R. C. Brindley, of a son.

DEFFELL.—August 19, 1888, at Crucis, Alexandra-street, Hunter's Hill, the wife of John Deffell, of a son.

DIXSON.—August 23, at 263, Elizabeth-street, the wife of Thomas Dixson, M.R.C.M., of a daughter.

FITZPATRICK.—August 21, at her residence, Lewisham, the wife of A. A. Fitzpatrick, of a son.

FORSYTH.—August 4, at her residence, Tyneside, High-street, North Willoughby, the wife of Robert Forsyth, of a daughter; both doing well.

FURLEY.—August 20, at her residence, 30, Undercliff-terrace, Miller's Point, the wife of Mr. E. Furley, of a son.

GALE.—August 23, at her residence, Ealing, the wife of George Gale, of a daughter.

GILLHAM.—July 24, 1888, at her residence, 223, Cleveland-street, the wife of J. T. Gillham, of a son.

GREINER.—August 20, at her residence, Glueckstahl, Summer Hill, the wife of T. Greiner, of a son.

HARRISON.—August 21, at her residence, Milton, Edgeware-road, Enmore, the wife of Thos. Harrison, of a daughter.

MARKS.—August 21, at her residence, City Bank, Carcoar, the wife of James S. Marks, of a daughter.

SEMPLE.—August 22, at her residence, Wonga-street, Burwood, the wife of W. Semple, of a son.

STACY.—August 21, at her residence, The Bungalow, Cowra, the wife of W. R. Stacy, of a son.

MULLENS.—August 28, at her residence, Mericola, Park-road, Burwood, the wife of Arthur L. Mullens, of a son.

MONRO.—August 13, at her residence, Union-street, North Shore, the wife of W. J. Monro, of a daughter.

Marriages.

ADAMS—ALFORD.—August 1, at St. Philip's, Sydney, by the Rev. W. E. H. Percival, Daniel Charles, eldest surviving son of D. H. Adams, of Paddington, Sydney, to Emma, third daughter of Stephen G. Alford, Milton, near Cowra.

DANIELS—CAMPBELL.—August 8, 1888, at Holy Trinity, Argyle-place, by the Venerable the Archdeacon of Cumberland, Henry Joseph, son of the late Arthur Daniels, of Belsize Park, London, to Dina Agnes, daughter of Captain Angus Campbell, of 55, Lower Fort-street, Sydney.

HINDS—M'LAUGHLIN.—August 8, at St. Matthias' Church, Paddington, by the Rev. D. D. Rutledge, M.A., M.B., M.Ch., Frederick Thomas, eldest son of Frederick Hinds, Sydney, to Emily Beatrice, youngest daughter of the late Irvine M'Laughlin, of Sydney.

IRELAND—PASSEYER.—August 1, 1888, at Bethel House, by the Rev. William Bradley, Ernest Francis, seventh son of James Francis Ireland, Lilydale, Double Bay, to Annie Elizabeth, third daughter of Louis Passeyer, Melrose, Double Bay.

LAVENDER—LEITCH.—On August 15, at the Presbyterian Church, Burwood, by the Rev. Alexander Osborne, M.A., John William, eldest son of James Smith Lavender, The Maze, Hay, to Helen Mary, fourth daughter of the late John Leitch, Berry Terry, Wagga Wagga.

PROCTOR—BLACKIE.—August 8, at St. Peter's Church, Woolloomooloo, by the Rev. A. W. Pain, B.A., Thomas Proctor, of Leek, Staffordshire, England, to Elizabeth, relict of the late William Blackie. Leek papers please copy.

RICHARDSON—O'GRADY.—July 31, at St. John's Church, Darlinghurst, by the Rev. A. Pain, B.A., George, second son of C. F. Richardson, of Maniv, to Blanch Julia, fourth daughter of M. F. O'Grady, Goodhope-street, Paddington.

Deaths.

ATKINSON.—July 28, 1888, at the Hospital, Broken Hill, of typhoid fever, contracted through nursing a friend, Joshua Giles Atkinson, aged 22 years and 10 months, the beloved twin son of the late William B. Atkinson, Esq., of Sheffield, England, and Mary Empson, of this city; also brother of J. E. G. Atkinson, of Petersham, and Mrs. G. Williams, of the Glebe; also brother of Miss Atkinson, of this city, and twin brother to William J. Atkinson, of Orange, and grandson of Sergeant-Major Giles, of Sofala, and nephew of the Rev. Robert Hall, of Southport, England. Beloved by all who knew him. Home papers please copy.

BARNARD.—August 21, 1888, at the Sydney Hospital, George Barnard, aged 34 years, late of Dublin, Ireland.

BRIANT.—August 23, at Waterloo-street, Surry Hills, Sydney, Alfred Briant, in the 83rd year of his age.

CREAK.—July 18, on board the s.s. Liguria, in the Red Sea, Cecilia Creak, aged 49.

DE ROSTAING.—At the French Club, Wynyard-square, Le Marquis de Rostaing, Vice French Consul, aged 47.

FISHER.—August 24, at his residence, No. 1, Cumberland-street, Henry Fisher, Esq., aged 73 years.

FORBES.—August 2, at Prince Alfred Hospital, George Forbes, the beloved husband of Lily Forbes, who died through injuries received on the 1st instant at Canterbury Races, leaving a loving wife to mourn her sad loss, aged 22.

GOODMAN.—August 23, at her residence, 2, Milton-terrace, Dawes Point, in her 76th year, Elizabeth, relict of the late Lewis Goodman, of London, and dearly beloved mother of Geo. L. Goodman (of the Theatre Royal), Joseph L. Goodman, Mrs. H. J. Samuell (of Sydney), and Mrs. Joel Phillips (of Melbourne).

M'DONELL.—August 18, at his residence, Oddfellows' Arms Hotel, George and Wells streets, Redfern, Roderick M'Donell, aged 53 years.

O'NEIL.—August 23, Eleanor Mary O'Neil, née Glynn, aged 50 years.

QUINN.—August 24, at her residence, Cowper-street, Waverley, Bridget, wife of Michael Quinn, in her 44th year.

In Memoriam.

CLARKE.—In loving memory of my dear father, George Clarke, who died August 25, 1886. Inserted by his loving daughter, Ellen Reid.

DEAN.—In loving memory of Herbert, who died August 25th, 1885, darling child of Frances and the late Frederick Dean, who died July 6th, 1863.

HARRIS.—In fond and loving memory of my dear husband, James Harris (born at Cranbrook, Kent, England, in the year 1815), and who departed this life 26th August, 1887, at his residence, Cranbrook Cottage, Five Dock.

'Tis sinful, I know, to wish you were here,
But life is so lonely without one so dear;
One so truthful, so generous, forgiving, and kind,
'Tis not often permitted on this earth to find;
Therefore I grieve, but fervently pray
We shall meet once again on the great Judgment Day,

Inserted by his loving wife, Rosa H. Harris.

JONES.—In affectionate remembrance of my beloved father, John Jones, pattern-maker, late of Railway Department, who died August 26, 1866, through result of accident whilst crossing George-street West. Inserted by his son John.

RENNO.—Sacred to the memory of my dearly beloved mother, Ann Renno, who departed this life August 25, 1887. Sweet Jesus have mercy on her soul. Inserted by her daughter, Elizabeth Murphy, and her grandchildren.

RENNO.—In loving remembrance of our dear grandmother, Ann Renno, late of the Wheatsheaf Inn Hotel, who departed this life, August 25, at her residence, 217, Palmerston-terrace, Glebe Point. Inserted by her loving grandchildren, Annie and James Sandiler. May her soul rest in peace.

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Coromandel	4500	G. Reeves	Oct. 1	Oct. 5	Oct. 8
Rosetta	3525	G. W. Brady	Oct. 15	Oct. 19	Oct. 22

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August 24, 1888.

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Ditto	Eurimbla	Wed'day, 5 p.m., Aug. 29
Ditto	Ranelagh	Friday, 5 p.m., Aug. 31
Ditto	Victoria	Saturday, 1 p.m., Sept. 1
Ditto	Cintra	Tuesday, 5 p.m., Sept. 4
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BUNDABERG	Eurimbla	Wednesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 29
GLADSTONE	Glanworth	Wednesday, 5 p.m., Sept. 5
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BOWEN	Warrego	Tuesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 28
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DUNGENESS, CARDWELL, MOURILYAN, JOHNSTONE R'VR (change at Cleveland Bay)	Quiraing / Warrego	This Day, 1 p.m., Aug. 25 / Tuesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 28
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FRIDAY, Aug. 31, 5 p.m.	LEURA	F. Stanford

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SATURDAY, Sept. 1, 1 p.m.	BARRABOOL	T. Richards'n

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The Fast and Favourite
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MELBOURNE, ADELAIDE, PORT PIRIE, AND ALL SOUTH AND WEST AUSTRALIAN PORTS.

THIS COMPANY offers to intending passengers and shippers the quickest and most comfortable means of reaching Melbourne, Adelaide, and Port Pirie.

THE EXPRESS STEAMERS
of this Company leave Sydney every SATURDAY:—
From the Company's Wharf, Lime-street, off Erskine-street.

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S.S. ADELAIDE	SATURDAY, September 1	at 1 p.m.

The above steamers have splendid saloon accommodation, and make the PASSAGE to MELBOURNE in 12 HOURS less than any OTHER STEAMERS on the coast, and deliver cargo at Port Adelaide in 48 hours' less time than any other steamer running to South Australia.

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GOODS FOR SILVERTON AND BROKEN HILL, QUICKEST AND CHEAPEST ROUTE.

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For further information apply to
G. S. YUILL, Agent, 39, Pitt-street.

HUDDART, PARKER, AND CO.'S LINE.
STEAM TO MELBOURNE.

ELINGAMITE	THIS DAY, Saturday	at 12 noon
BURRUMBEET	SATURDAY, September 1	at 12 noon

The powerful steel Steamship
ELINGAMITE, 4000 tons, PERCY W. BULL, Commander,
leaves Huddart Parker's Wharf, foot of Margaret-street,
THIS DAY, SATURDAY, August 25, at 12 noon,
for MELBOURNE DIRECT.

SPECIAL EXHIBITION FARES:
Saloon, single, £2 5s; Saloon, return, £3 15s; Fore cabin, £1 5s
RETURN AVAILABLE for SIX MONTHS.

The ELINGAMITE, the LARGEST and FINEST Steamship in the Australian coastal trade, is constructed of steel throughout in 8 water-tight compartments, and is commissioned as an armed cruiser in time of war.

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STEAM TO SHOALHAVEN AND BROUGHTON CREEK. From Huddart Parker's Wharf.

MONDAY, August 27	MEEINDERRY	at 9 p.m.
THURSDAY, August 30	MEEINDERRY	at 9 p.m.
FRIDAY, August 31	COOMONDERRY	at 9 p.m.

Taking cargo for all Shoalhaven ports on Mondays and Fridays; Broughton Creek only on Thursdays.

No cargo received after 5 p.m. on day of sailing.

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TASMANIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

DATES OF SAILING.

From Tasmanian Wharf, Sussex-street, near Margaret-street, for HOBART, via EDEN, S.S. OONAH, 1700 tons register, MONDAY, September 3, at noon.

LAUNCESTON, via EDEN, S.S. CORINNA, 1280 tons register.

Return Tickets are available for Six Months.

TO AND FROM HOBART,
Saloon, Return, £8. Single, £5.
Steerage, Return, £5 5s. Single, £3.
LAUNCESTON,
Saloon, Return, £7. Single, £4.
Steerage, Return, £4 10s. Single, £2 10s.

No cargo received within an hour of sailing.

For full particulars apply to
T. and W. WILLIS, Agents,
17, Pitt-street.

NEWCASTLE, MORPETH, and RAYMOND TERRACE.—Hunter River New S. N. Co.'s Steamers.
From Wharf, foot of Market-street.
TO-MORROW NIGHT, Sunday, at 11.30, the NAMOI.
On MONDAY NIGHT, at 11.30, the MAITLAND.

Goods will not be received after 3 p.m. this day. Return tickets issued at reduced rates. For particulars apply at the Central Booking Office, 353, George-street, or at office, 147, Sussex-street.

F. J. THOMAS, Manager.

NEWCASTLE STEAMSHIP COMPANY, Limited.
From Lime-street, foot of Erskine-street, to
Newcastle, Morpeth, and Raymond Terrace.
THIS (Saturday) NIGHT, at 11.30, the NEWCASTLE.
On MONDAY, at 11.30, the NEWCASTLE.

No cargo received after 3 p.m. Return tickets issued at reduced rates. For particulars apply at offices, York-street, next Opera House, and Lime-street.

H. D. PORTUS, Manager.

JOHN SEE and CO.'S LINE OF STEAMERS leave Market Wharf, Market-street, for
MANNING RIVER, S.S. ROSEDALE, MONDAY, 6 p.m.
Ditto, S.S. ROSEDALE, THURSDAY, 8 p.m.
PORT MACQUARIE, S.S. WELLINGTON, MONDAY, 4 p.m.
Ditto, S.S. WELLINGTON, THURSDAY, 6 p.m.
BELLINGER RIVER, S.S. WELLINGTON, MONDAY, 4 p.m.
Ditto, S.S. WELLINGTON, THURSDAY, 6 p.m.
NAMBUCCA RIVER, S.S. FERNMOUNT, MONDAY NIGHT, at 9
Cargo received daily up to within an hour of sailing.

GRAFTON, CLARENCE RIVER.

S.S. HELEN NICOLL, THIS NIGHT, at 9.
S.S. AUSTRALIAN, TUESDAY NIGHT, at 9,
from Market Wharf, foot of Market-street.

The saloons of these steamers are amidships, and afford superior accommodation for passengers. Passengers landed at Harwood and Lawrence. Goods are conveyed for Glen Innes, Fairfield, Emmaville, Inverell, and Tenterfield free of agency or wharfage fees.

JOHN SEE and CO., 129, Sussex-street.

GRAFTON, CLARENCE RIVER.

S.S. ELECTRA, THIS NIGHT, at 3.
S.S. TOMKI, TUESDAY NIGHT, at 9.

Superior accommodation. Inspection invited.

Goods for Glen Innes, Fairfield, and Tenterfield forwarded free of agency charges without any delay.

Richmond River passengers landed at Lawrence and Harwood.

RICHARD COOKE, Secretary.

C. and R. R. S. N. Company,
Clarence Wharf, 3, Sussex-street North.

RICHMOND RIVER.

S.S. QUEEN OF THE SOUTH, THIS DAY, at noon.
Shippers are requested to send cargo down early.
Goods for Fairfield may be shipped via Casino.

RICHARD COOKE, Secretary.

C and R. R. S. N. Company.

MACLEAY RIVER.

S.S. WOODBURN, THIS NIGHT, at 11.

RICHARD COOKE, Secretary.

C. and R. R. S. N. Company,
Clarence Wharf, 3, Sussex-street North.

RICHMOND RIVER.

S.S. BELLINGER.

THIS DAY, Saturday, at 2 p.m.

Cargo booked via Casino for Tenterfield and Fairfield.
Splendid passenger accommodation.
NOTICE.—The hour of sailing is altered from 4 till 2 p.m.

B. B. NICOLL, Victoria Wharf.

FAIRFIELD GOLDFIELDS.
S.S. BELLINGER, THIS DAY, Saturday, at 2 p.m.
Cargo booked via Casino for Drake, Red Rock, White Rock, Tabulam, &c.
B. B. NICOLL, Victoria Wharf.

STEAM to CAPE HAWKE.—S.S. EMMA PYERS, MONDAY, at 5 p.m.
Passengers and cargo now booked.
B. B. NICOLL, Victoria Wharf.

WAGONGA, TILBA TILBA, BODALLA, EUROBODALLA, and NERRIGUNDAH.—S.S. UNION, MONDAY NEXT, at 4. All freights payable in Sydney.
GEO. SPEARS, Timber Merchant, Cowper Wharf.

GOSFORD AND NEWCASTLE,
BY TRAIN AND STEAMER.
S.S. GOSFORD and CHARLES FENWICK DAILY.
From King-street Wharf, 8.30 a.m.; No. 4 Jetty, 9 a.m.
From Gosford, 2 p.m. Fares—4s single, 6s return.
SUNDAY EXCURSIONS from King-st. Wharf, 9 a.m., via Darling-st.; No. 4 Jetty, 9.30 a.m. Return 5s, available day of issue.
Goods received at King-st. Whf. ONLY. Freight payable in Syd.

MANLY BEACH. MANLY BEACH.

6d. From No. 2. Jetty 6d.

6d. SATURDAY 6d.

Steamer ADMIRAL (weather permitting)
leaves No. 2 Jetty 7.15, 10.30, 12.30, 2.30, 4.15.; Manly 8.15, 11.55, 1.15, 3.15, 5.20. Return fare, 6d.

6d. SUNDAY 6d.

Steamer ADMIRAL leaves 10.30, 2.30, 4.15; Manly 12, 3.15, 5.20. Return fare, 6d.

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Leave Sydney, 7.15, 9, 10.30, 11.30, 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 9, 11.15.
Leave Manly, 7.15, 8.10, 9.45, 10, 12, 12.30, 2, 3, 4.30, 5.15, 6, 7, 8, 10.

Freight must be delivered at the wharf 15 minutes before the departure of the steamer, and not later than 10 a.m.

SUNDAY.
Leave Sydney, 10.15, 11, 12, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 5.45, 7.
Leave Manly, 9, 12, 12.30, 2, 5, 5.15, 5.30, 8.

FARE—SATURDAY—Return ticket, 1s; children, 6d.
SUNDAY—Return ticket, 6d.

MOSSMAN'S BAY. MOSSMAN'S BAY.

STEAMERS Leave No. 4 Jetty, Circular Quay.
Fare, 3d. Fare, 3d. Fare, 3d.

HUNTER'S HILL and LANE COVE RIVER STEAMERS LEAVE—

LIME-STREET, foot of Erskine-street, at 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, *12, 1.15, 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.15, 7.15, 9.15, 11.15; Saturday's extra, 8.15, 10.15.

FIG TREE, HUNTER'S HILL, 7, 8, 8.50, 10, 11, 12, 1.15, 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.15, 7.15, 8.15, 10.15; Saturday's extra, 9.15, 11.15.

SUNDAYS.—LIME-STREET, 9, 10, 11, 12, 1.15, 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.15, 7.15, 9.30.

FIG TREE, 9, 10, 11, 12, 1, 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.15, 7.15, 8.30.

Calling each way at GREENWICH, WOOLWICH, ATLAS WORKS, NORTHWOOD, LONGUEVILLE, SUNNYSIDE, ALEXANDRA-ST., RIVERVIEW, and DRUMMOYNE-STREET.

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A cargo boat leaves Lime-street wharf daily at 1 p.m., landing cargo at all convenient places.

* On Saturdays, 12.15.

PARRAMATTA RIVER and HUNTER'S HILL STEAMERS.

The Times having an asterisk (*) affixed to them go from No. 4 Jetty, Circular Quay, all others from King-street Wharf.

For PARRAMATTA PARK, DUNDAS, ERMINGTON, NEWINGTON, and SUBIACO—6, 7, 9, 10*, 11, 12 (Sat., 12.15); 1 (Sat. 1.15), 2*, 3, 5.5 p.m.

For RYDE and MORTLAKE—6, 7, 9, 9.30, 10*, 11, 12 (Sat., 12.15), 1 (Sat. 1.15), 2*, 3, (4.15 except Sat.), 5.5, 7 p.m.; Mortlake, 11.15 (Sat. 9.30) p.m.; Ryde, Mon., Wed., Sat., 11.15 p.m.

For GLADESVILLE, CHISWICK, and CORBEY'S GARDENS—6, 7, 7.45, 9, 9.30, 10*, 11, 12 (Sat. 12.15); 1 (Sat. 1.15), 2*, 3, 3.45, 4.15, 5.5, 6.15, 7, 11.15 (Sat. 9.30) p.m.

For FIVE DOCK, ASHFIELD, and BURWOOD—7, 7.45, 9, 10*, 11, 12 (Sat. 12.15); 1 (Sat. 1.15), 4.15, 5.5, 6.15 (Sat. 9.30) p.m.; Tues., Thurs., 11.15.

For VILLA MARIA—7, 7.45, 9, 9.30, 10*, 11, 12 (Sat. 12.15); 1 (Sat. 1.15), 2*, 3, 3.45, 4.15, 5.5, 6.15, 8, 9.30, 11.15 p.m.

For HUNTER'S HILL, LONGNOSE, COCKATOO, and DRUMMOYNE—6, 7, 7.45, 9, 9.30, 10*, 11, 12 (Sat. 12.15), 1 (Sat. 1.15), 2*, 3, 3.45, 4.15, 5.5, 6.15, 7, 8, 9.30, 11.15 p.m.

RETURNING
From Parramatta—6.55, 8, 9, 11, 12*, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.

FARES SATURDAY:
HUNTER'S HILL, &c.—1st class return 9d. 2nd class ret. 6d.
PARRAMATTA—1st class return 1s 6d, 2nd class return 1s.

ON SUNDAY.
KING-STREET to PARRAMATTA PARK, ERMINGTON, NEWINGTON, RYDE, PUTNEY, and MORTLAKE—9.30, 11, and 11* a.m.; 2.10*, 2.15, 3* and 3, 6.15, and to Ryde 7 and 8 p.m.

HUNTER'S HILL, DRUMMOYNE, CHISWICK, VILLA MARIA, GLADESVILLE—9.30, 10, 11, and 11* a.m.; 1, 2.10*, 2.15, 3* and 3, 5, 6.15, 7 (8 except Villa Maria), 9.30 p.m.

FIVE DOCK, ASHFIELD, BURWOOD—10 a.m.; 1, 2.10*, 2.15, 5, 9.30 p.m. Fares as on ordinary days.

A TRIP ROUND THE HARBOUR AND HEAD OF MIDDLE HARBOUR DAILY (Landing at Clontarf). S.S. LEVERET leaves No. 2 Jetty, Circular Quay, at 10.30 a.m. and 2.30 p.m. Fare, 1s.

CLONTARF and HEAD of MIDDLE HARBOUR, TO-MORROW, SUNDAY.

Steamer LEVERET
leaves No. 2 Jetty, Circular Quay, at 10.30 a.m., 2.40 p.m., returning 12 and 4.45 p.m.

TRIP ROUND THE HARBOUR AND HEAD OF MIDDLE HARBOUR, TO-MORROW, Sunday.
Steamer LEVERET leaves No. 2 Jetty at 2.40 p.m.
Return fare, 1s. Children 6d.

W. and T. MOORE.

S. S. DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE, from LONDON.

CONSIGNEES are requested to PASS ENTRIES at once for Parbury's Wharf.

The ship will not be responsible for any damage to or loss of cargo after landing, and any goods impeding the vessel's discharge will be entered, landed, and stored at consignees' risk and expense.

BILLS of LADING must be produced, duly endorsed, freight paid, and delivery orders obtained from the office of the undersigned before any goods can be delivered.

DALGETY and CO., Limited, Agents,
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SHIP TRAFALGAR, from LONDON.

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Agents.

BARQUE CARNARVON CASTLE, from LIVERPOOL.

CONSIGNEES are requested to PASS ENTRIES at once for Dalton's Wharf. The ship will not be responsible for any damage to or loss of cargo after landing, and any goods impeding the vessel's discharge will be entered, landed, and stored at consignees' risk and expense. Bills of Lading must be produced, freight paid, and delivery orders obtained from the office of the undersigned before any goods can leave the wharf.

MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.,
Agents.

SHIP BAY OF CADIZ, from LONDON.

CONSIGNEES are requested to PASS ENTRIES at once for Circular Wharf.

The ship will not be responsible for any loss of or damage to cargo after same shall have been landed, and any goods impeding discharge will be entered, landed, and stored at consignees' risk and expense.

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CAPTAIN DAVIDSON will not be responsible for any debts contracted by his crew without his written authority.

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Captain DALLACHIE will not be responsible for any DEBTS contracted by his crew without his written authority.

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The PORT JACKSON STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S Steamers are open for CHARTER on moderate terms.
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FOR SALE, fast 20ft. half-decker CYNTHIA. C. J. Saunders, Lands Department.

FOR SALE, Mainsail and Jib, made by Lapthorne, suitable large centreboard boat. E. M. Dettrich, 8, York-st.

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FOR SALE, two BARQUES of 500 and 600 capacity. John Williams, 19, Macquarie-place.

FOR SALE, a BOAT, length 20ft., beam 6ft., suitable for sailing or fishing, new. Apply R. YOUNG, 32, Bradford-street, Balmain.

FOR NAMBUCCA RIVER.—Schooner ELIZA ALLAN, THIS DAY, from Wilkinson's Wharf.
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FOR SALE, Racing SPARS (7), gear and blocks, in perfect order, suit 20-footer, cash price £8, also Fin, Balloon Jib, and Squaresail, £4 10s. By letter to E. W. HEYWOOD, care of Blacket Bros., Bond-street.

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SYDNEY.

SPRING, 1888.

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LADIES' COSTUMES.
Unusual attractions are to be found here. Our selections having been made from the first producers in Paris and London.

LADIES' MANTLES.
The display in this department is singularly comprehensive, rich, and more varied than it has been for the past few seasons. Novelties in Jersey Jackets, &c.

MILLINERY.
Always a leading and most attractive department, and especially for the Spring season. The variety here is charming, such as can be obtained only at the most fashionable establishments.

DRESSMAKING.
Recent engagements for this department place us in a position to execute all orders with precision, assuring to our patrons a faithful execution of their commands and a keen supervision, combined with consistent economy. Fitting rooms splendidly lighted.

DRESS MATERIALS.
The textures here have been carefully selected for adaptability to our climate, variety, &c., and, we must add, our prices will be found such as to place within the reach of all materials unsurpassed for cheapness and appearance.

WASHING MATERIALS are always sought for at this season. Our assortment is wellnigh without latitude, patterns and colourings being both novel and elegant.

SILKS.
Our selections for this season are of the most recherché character, and have been secured under most favourable arrangements. Every mail, of course, brings us novelties; but for our Spring season we have ever a splendid show in these choice and seasonable goods.

MOURNING.
Replete with the newest and most reliable textures from the best manufacturers. Orders completed with despatch.

UNDERCLOTHING.
We keep constantly in stock the most extensive assortment in Australia. Every article requisite for Outfits, Trousseaux, Layettes, &c. Estimates given.

GENERAL DRAPERY.
The Goods invariably offered in this Department are such that too much cannot be said in recommendation. The pronounced favour met with is our assurance in stating that a large percentage is saved in purchasing all drapery goods from us.

CARPETS.
We stand renowned as possessors of the most varied and rich collection of floor coverings. Our consignments—year by year increasing—are in themselves full proof of this conclusion. Linoleums, Floorcloths, Mattings, Rugs—newest designs, best qualities. Our Carpets will well repay an inspection.

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We keep a most comprehensive stock of well-made Furniture suitable for residences of every order, for Drawing and Dining Rooms, Library, Bedrooms, Halls, Kitchens, &c. Upholstery in all its branches. Estimates given for furnishing throughout.

GENTLEMEN'S CLOTHING.
Our season's Goods to hand. Buyers will do well to inspect. Every garment well made, and from specially selected materials.

BOYS' and YOUTHS' CLOTHING, all direct from our London Factory, and are offered as unparalleled for cut, make, quality, and prices.

CLOTHING TO ORDER.
The degree of excellence already attained enables us to further enjoy the confidence of our patrons, whilst our staff of cutters with their experienced workmen ensures to our patrons all the advantages obtainable from the highest order of management. Our Woollens to hand cannot but promote the business done here.

OUTFITTING DEPARTMENT.
The travelling public are respectfully invited to inspect our large stock of requisites on view in our rooms recently opened.

VICTORIA HOUSE IS PRE-EMINENTLY A CASH HOUSE.
Prices are below those of any establishments where credit obtains, and our customers have the immense advantage of purchasing

THE BEST GOODS
AT LOWEST PRICES.

For the convenience of well-known customers we send goods, but on the understanding that payment is made within a few days. Carpet and furnishing orders excepted, but for these payment is asked on completion of orders.

OUR PRICES ARE ARRANGED FOR
PROMPT PAYMENT, NET CASH,
AND NO DISCOUNT.

FARMER and COMPANY.

THIS DAY. THIS DAY.

DISPLAY OF SPRING GOODS
PRINTS, ZEPHYRS, and
OTHER FASHIONABLE TEXTURES
IN WASHING MATERIALS.

We are now showing an enormous shipment of Printed Goods for the Spring, which for design, quality, and price cannot be equalled in this city.

PRINTS.—Our noted Print at 4½d per yard, for this season is in itself a marvel. Our higher qualities comparatively good. We invite special attention to our

PRINTS AT 4½d PER YARD
PRINTS AT 6½d PER YARD
SATTEENS AT 7½d PER YARD
SATTEENS AT 8½d PER YARD.

Some remarkably nice stripes in these Satteens.

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A Burlesque Melodrama, in 3 acts.

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PROGRAMME:
10 Miles Bicycle Championship of Australia. Gold and silver medals
1 Mile Bicycle Championship of New South Wales. Gold and silver medals
440 Yards Footrace Championship of New South Wales. Gold and silver medals
1 Mile Invitation Scratch Race. First prize, diamond medal
1 Mile Open Bicycle Handicap. Three prizes. First prize, president's cup
1 Mile Maiden Bicycle Scratch Race. Three prizes
3 Miles Open Bicycle Handicap. Three prizes
150 Yards Amateur Flatrace Handicap. Three prizes.
Entrance fee, 2s 6d for each event. Entries will close with the hon. secretary, Mr. G. M. Moore, Stephen-court, Elizabeth-street, Sydney, on THURSDAY, 6th September, 1888, at 5 p.m.
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Sir,—Before leaving Sydney, we wish, through the medium of your widely circulated journal, to thank the people of this city for their hearty and substantial support in our hour of need. Thanks to their generous response, we have been enabled to return to France. It would be ungrateful on our part were we to say good-bye without expressing our gratitude to Mr. John Solomon, Messrs. Brough and Boucicault, Messrs. Davis, M'Gee, and Caron, and M. Lachaume, who worked most assiduously on our behalf. Last, but not least, to our brother and sister artistes who so willingly gave their services, the members of the orchestra and stage corps, we say, Thanks; a thousand thanks. Farewell!

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2.30 p.m.—Handicap Pony Flat Race, ¾ mile
3 p.m.—Selling Flat Race, ¾ mile
3.20 p.m.—"Huon's," 1st try at the record }
3.40 p.m.—"Huon's" 2nd try ditto } 1 mile
4 p.m.—"Huon's" 3rd try ditto }
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MARCH MEETING, 1893.
All fees the same as for the Two-year-old Produce Stakes, and owners of Sires and nominators of Foals are bound by exactly same conditions.
The NOMINATION of SIRES closes same day as for the Two-year-old Event—viz., SEPTEMBER 28, 1888.
The PROMISSORY NOTE is made payable on First FRIDAY in AUGUST, 1892.
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to witness the LIGHTS O'LONDON, Mr. George Rignold and the members of Her Majesty's Company, and the entire staff, have pleasure in availing themselves of the opportunity to do honour to this distinguished company of artistes.
The MANAGEMENT have therefore arranged to give a
MATINEE on
WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON NEXT, 29th AUGUST,
at 2 O'CLOCK.

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1. Overture—"Merry Wives of Windsor" ... Nicolia
(first time)
GRAND ORCHESTRA.
2. Serenade—"The Angels" ... ... Braga
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Miss J. PHILLIPS.
3. Solo—"It Is Not Love" ... ... Sullivan
Mr. W. WALSHE.
4. Selection—"Faust" ... ... Gounod
GRAND ORCHESTRA.
5. Characteristic—"The Yeoman's Wedding" ... Poniatowski
Mr. WARWICK GAINOR.
6. Recit. and Aria—"Ernani" ... ... Verdi
Miss ELSA SHERWIN.
7. Solo—"Smile, and Bid Me Live" ... ... Pinsuti
(with violin obligato by Mons. De Willimoff)
Mr. W. B. CADZOW.
8. Piano Solo—Fantasia from "Oberon" ... Thalberg
Miss IDA NELSON.
9. Solo—"The Fair Land of Poland" ... ... Balfe
Mr. W. WALSHE.
10. Recitation—"Lady Godiva" ... ... Alfred Tennyson
Mr. A. R. LAWRENCE.
11. Hymn—"The Hour of Prayer" ... ... L. Caron
Mr. WARWICK GAINOR.
12. Episode of '93 ... ... Leon Caron
GRAND ORCHESTRA.
13. First Act of "Trovatore," from Scene 2 ... Verdi
(A) Aria—"The Night was Calm"
(B) Cavatina—"Love like Mine"
Miss ELSA SHERWIN.
(C) Recit.—"Now all is Silent"
Mr. WARWICK GAINOR.
(D) Serenade—"Now on the Earth"
Mr. W. WALSHE.
(E) Scena and Terzetta—"No Mistake then"
Miss ELSA SHERWIN,
Messrs. W. WALSHE and WARWICK GAINOR.
14. Solo—"Let Me Dream again" ... ... Sullivan
Miss J. PHILLIPS.
15. Solo—"Madoline" ... ... Nelson
Mr. W. B. CADZOW.
16. Piano Solo—"Tarantella" ... ... Gottschalk
(with orchestral accompaniment)
Miss IDA NELSON.
17. March—"En Evant" ... ... Strauss
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PROGRAMME.
1. Overture—"Esmeralda" ... ... Herman
GRAND ORCHESTRA.
2. Baritone Song—"Speak to me speak" ... Compani
Mr. ALF. SANTLEY.
3. Song—"On Tempest tossing" ... ... Planquit
Miss BEATRICE JAMES.
4. Tenor Song—"Plymouth Sound" ... ... Jude
Mr. GEO. HARRISON.
5. Duet (vocal)—"What are the Wild Waves saying" ... ... Whyte
Misses NEVILLE and BLACKIE.
6. Descriptive Song—"Alone on the Raft" ... Rodney
Mr. H. BARRINGTON.
7. Song—"The Cricket on the Hearth" ... Stewart
Miss FLORENCE SCHULER.
8. Tenor Song—"Alice, where art thou?" ... Alscher
Mr. W. RYAN.
9. Song—"Only a little pair of Shoes" ... Rebelk
Miss MARIE MACKAY.
10. Patriotic Song—"The Standard Bearer" ... Land Painters
Mr. F. J. SPENCER.
11. Song—"Where Birds and Blossoms Dream" ... Skelly
Miss BERTHA FANNING.
12. Selections—"Les Amazons" ... ... Migette
GRAND ORCHESTRA.
13. Trio (vocal)—"The Wreath" ... ... Fisher
Messrs. BARRINGTON, RYAN, and HARRISON.
14. Song—"Lover and the Bird" ... ... Guglielmo
Miss FLORENCE SCHULER.
15. Baritone Song—"The Village Blacksmith" ... Weiss
Mr. F. J. SPENCER.
16. Duet (vocal)—"Sainted Mother" ... ... Wallace
Misses NEVILLE and JAMES.
17. Baritone Song—"When Brighter Days" ... Donizetti
Mr. ALF. SANTLEY.
18. Song—"Kathleen Mavourneen" ... ... Couch
Miss BERTHA FANNING.
19. Baritone Song—"Hear the wild winds blow" Foll
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Miss Florence Neville | Mr. W. Ryan
Miss Beatrice James | Mr. Alf. Santley
Miss Amy Blackie | Mr. Geo. Harrison
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A. BROWN, Secretary.

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The Opening Run will take place THIS DAY, at Marrickville. The "hares" leave Royal Exchange Hotel, at 3.30; slow pack at 3.40, fast pack at 3.45. Tea at 6, and Social at 8.
Athletes of all denominations are cordially invited to this run, which will give them an insight into this new pastime, just introduced in the colony.
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A CONCERT on behalf of the Wentworth Club, Bay-street, Glebe, will be given on FRIDAY EVENING, August 31, at the Glebe Town Hall, the use of which has been kindly granted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Borough. Miss Woolley, Miss Baley, Herr Josef Kretschmann, and several well-known amateurs have kindly volunteered their services.
Tickets—4s and 2s—may be obtained at Hereford House, Glebe Point (Judge Wilkinson's), also from Messrs. Vaughan, Dummett (tram waiting-room), and Stimson, Glebe-road, and Mr. F. B. Wilkinson, 75, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.
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A Lantern ENTERTAINMENT for Children will be given in the large Hall of the institution by Mr. D. T. Wiley, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock.
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Half-mile Champion of Club
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EXHIBITION OF WOMEN'S INDUSTRIES AND CENTENARY FAIR.

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WOMEN and GIRLS are invited to send EXHIBITS for competition in the undermentioned Sections of this Department for the OPENING DAY, October 2, 1888, and in others to enter into special competitions under fixed rules during the Exhibition on certain days, which will be duly advertised.
Exhibitors under 18 years of age will form one class; those above 18 will be classed with adults.

SECTION A.—BREAD, BUTTER, CHEESE.
Class 1. Hand-made bread, in loaves not less than 2lb. weight, both white and brown bread, and fancy loaves, not fewer than three loaves of each kind; rolls, not fewer than six of each kind to form an exhibit. Preference given where home-made yeast is used
Class 2.* Butter made from cream not separated by machinery, not less than 2lb. for an exhibit
Class 3. Cheeses of average weight, none smaller than 6lb.

SECTION B.—PRESERVED FRUITS.
Class 1. Fruits preserved in water, 6 varieties at least
Class 2. Fruit preserved in syrup, 6 ditto
Class 3. Collection Jams, 6 ditto
Class 4. Collection Jellies, 6 ditto
Class 5. Dried Fruits, 3 ditto
Class 6. Fruits preserved in vinegar, 3 ditto

Special Prize for Best Collection of Exhibits in Section B, exclusive of class 5.

SECTION C.—OTHER PRESERVES AND SAUCES.
Class 1. Pickles (including beetroot), 4 varieties at least
Class 2. { Chutney, 2 samples ditto
{ Tomato Sauce, 2 ditto
{ Mushroom Catsup, 2 ditto
Class 3. Curry Powder, 2 ditto.

SECTION D.—CAKES, PUDDINGS, and PASTRY.
Fifteen classes. Particulars in the circulars to be had on application at the office, or to the Hon. Sec.

SECTION E.—FISH, &c.
Six classes. See circulars.

SECTION F.—FRESH FOOD.
Seven classes. See circular.

SECTION G.—COTTAGE COOKERY.
Class 1. Lectures on Principles of Cooking and Practical Demonstration
Class 2. *Porridge, Oatmeal, and various
Class 3. *Economical Joints and Preparation.

SECTION H.—BREAKFAST DISHES.
Four classes. See circular.

SECTION J.—COFFEE, TEA, COCOA.
To be prepared at given times. For competition.

SECTION K.—BILLS OF FARE FOR FAMILY BREAKFAST AND DINNER for the month of October, for households of 4, 8, and 12 persons.

LAUNDRY WORK.
Section A.
Class 1. Shirts and Collars, washed and ironed ready for wear, not fewer than three of each for an exhibit
Class 2. Ladies' and Children's Underclothing, washed and ironed ready for wear, not fewer than six articles
Class 3. Infants' Robes, Ladies' and Girls' Frocks, ditto
Class 4. Clear starching—muslins and curtains
Class 5. Lace, washed or cleaned
Class 6. Flannels, after one or more washings
Class 7.* Shirts, ready washed, to be ironed at the Exhibition
Class 8.* Body linen, folded for mangling, and after ironing
Class 9.* Table linen ditto ditto ditto

Exhibitors must affix to each of their exhibits a label, which will be supplied on application, with the section and class, and a number. The name to be affixed after the Judges' award.
Prizes and certificates of merit will be awarded in each section, and in each class where there are at least three competitors.
Competitive exhibitors must state clearly whether their exhibits are—
I. For competition only
II. For competition and sale for the Exhibition Fund
III. For competition and sale for the exhibitor. In this case 10 per cent. commission will be charged for the benefit of the fund
Exhibits or contributions in classes not mentioned, but within the scope of this department, will be received.
Exhibits of provisions will be gladly accepted as contributions to the Refreshment Department.

A "SPECIAL PRIZE LIST" WILL BE ADVERTISED SHORTLY.

4, MOORE-STREET.

Amusements.

COMPLIMENTARY BANQUET to G. W. GRIFFIN, Esq., in recognition of his services in connection with the United States wool tariff, will take place at the Exchange Hotel on WEDNESDAY, 12th September, at 8 p.m.

Tickets can be had on application to the members of the Committee.

COMMITTEE:

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The ANNUAL SOIREE DANSANTE will be held on THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, in the GLEBE TOWN HALL.

Double tickets, 12s 6d; ladies, 6s. To be had from any member of the club.

F. LASSEN, Hon. Secretary.

WAITERS AND BARMEN'S UNION.

The above Union will hold a Plain and Fancy Dress BALL, at Leigh House, Professor West's Rooms, Castlereagh-street, on FRIDAY, 12th October, 1888. Tickets—Double, 10s 6d; Ladies', 5s; Gentlemen's, 7s 6d. Fred. Ross, Treas.; Wm. Mortimer, Sec.

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As PROF. WEST'S ACADEMY during next month is RENTED for BALLS, BANQUETS, CONVERSAZIONES, ASSEMBLIES, &c., EVENING CLASSES ONLY on THOSE DAYS CHANGED.

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August 29. Prof. West's Fortnightly Assembly.
August 31. Second Regiment Ball.
September 1. Herald Social.
September 4. Private Conversazione, Croydon.
September 5. Cinderella Return Party, Woollahra.
September 6. Ionic Masonic Ball.
September 12. Private Assembly.
September 15. Private Social (Caxtons).
September 21. Della Amore Assembly.
September 24. Miss Wangenheim's Conversazione
September 25. Sydney Assembly.
September 26. Unitarian Church Conversazione.
September 27. Private Ball (Sydney).
September 28. Kogarah Rowing Club Ball.
September 29. Herald Social.

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NOTICE.—The Pupils' Dramatic Recitals announced for THIS EVENING are postponed. J. Simmons.

UNION TERMINATING BUILDING SOCIETY, 55, Market-st.—For endowment for children. Call prospectus.

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Parliamentary Elections.

REDFERN ELECTION. The FREE-TRADE ELECTORS are requested to MEET TO-NIGHT, at 8 p.m., at the TOWN HALL, Pitt-street, Redfern, to arrange for the selection of a Free-trade Candidate.

GEORGE M'MURTRIE, R. C. BEVERIDGE.

REDFERN ELECTION.

The Friends and Supporters of Mr. J. P. HOWE, the Protectionist Candidate, are requested to attend a MEETING, at the Committee Rooms, Town Hall, Redfern, TO-DAY, Saturday, at 3 p.m.

Business urgent.

Municipal Council Notices.

BOROUGH COUNCIL OF BALMAIN.

OPENING OF NEW TOWN HALL.

It has been decided to celebrate the opening of the New Town Hall by holding an AFTERNOON RECEPTION on SATURDAY, the 25th instant, at 3 o'clock.

The MAYOR (Alderman E. H. BUCHANAN) will deliver an OPENING ADDRESS in the large Hall, after which a Reception will be held in the Council Chamber, where the Mayor and Mayoress and Aldermen will be pleased to receive all who will avail themselves of this invitation.

H. B. MACINTOSH, Council Clerk.

Town Hall, 22nd August, 1888.

N.B.—Children must be accompanied by parents or guardians.

BOROUGH OF EAST ST. LEONARDS.

NOTICE is hereby given that a portion of GLEN-STREET is CLOSED against traffic for the purpose of Forming the said street.

P. A. TEMPLE, Council Clerk.

Town Hall, East St. Leonards, August 21, 1888.

[88-65] Town Clerk's Office, Sydney, August 25, 1888.

TEMPORARY CLOSING CASTLEREAGH-STREET.

NOTICE is hereby given that the through traffic of Castlereagh-street, from Hunter-street to Liverpool-street, will be CLOSED on and after MONDAY next, the 27th instant, in consequence of wood-paving works.

HENRY J. DANIELS, Town Clerk.

[88-66] Town Clerk's Office, Sydney, August 25, 1888.

TEMPORARY STOPPAGE REGENT-STREET.

NOTICE is hereby given that the through traffic of Regent-street, from the Mortuary to Cleveland-street, will be STOPPED on and after TUESDAY next, the 28th instant, in consequence of wood-paving works.

HENRY J. DANIELS, Town Clerk.

Calls on Shares.

THE BROKEN HILL PROPRIETARY BLOCK 14 COMPANY. Limited.

NOTICE OF CALL.

15, Queen-street, Melbourne, 23rd August, 1888.

NOTICE is hereby given that a CALL (the Fourth) of Two Shillings and Sixpence per Share upon the Shares held by you in the above Company was declared by the Directors on the 22nd day of August, 1888, and is due and payable at this office on or before the 14th day of September, 1888.

Country shareholders are requested to remit by cheque or P.O.O., and add exchange to their cheques.

By order of the Board.

JOHN BRANDON, Secretary.

N.B.—Shareholders, when remitting, are requested to set out CONSECUTIVE NUMBERS of the Shares they hold, or enclose Scrip Certificates.

LUBRA SILVER-MINING COMPANY, No Liability.

A CALL (the 5th) of ONE PENNY per Share has been made THIS DAY, payable to the Manager, at the Company's Office, Bond-street, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, 12th September, 1888. By order of the Board.

ROBERT SADDINGTON, Manager.

Sydney, August 20, 1888.

HUON (imp.) will try to lower 2 minutes 33½ seconds for one mile on WEDNESDAY NEXT, at Agricultural Grounds, Moore Park. Admission, 1s.

UNION TERMINATING BUILDING SOCIETY, 55, Market-st.—6s per fortnight will return £100 in 10½ yrs.

Religious Announcements.

ANNANDALE HUNTER-BAILLIE MEMORIAL CHURCH.—Rev. P. Falconer Mackenzie, 11 and 7.

ASHFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH, Holden-street.—Morning, 11, Rev. D. Davis; evening, 7, Rev. F. Hibberd.

ASSOCIATION SPIRITUALISTS. WEST'S ACADEMY, SUNDAY, 7.15 p.m. Mr. BOWLEY, of Melbourne, will LECTURE. Subject: "Personal Experience of Spiritualists in America."

BALMAIN Presbyterian Church, Campbell-st.—Rev. James Cosh, M.A., morning and evening.

BATHURST-STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. R. T. Hills, morning and evening.

BOURKE-ST. CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Rev. JAMES HILL, M.A., Morning and Evening.

BURTON-STREET TABERNACLE, Woolloomooloo. Pastors Soper at 11, and Clarke 7. Strangers invited.

BURWOOD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—The Rev. A. Osborne, M.A., TO-MORROW, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

BOURKE-STREET WESLEYAN CHURCH.—11, Rev. W. H. Beale. 7, Rev. R. Dyson. Subject—"Thoughts Suggested by the Present Disputes between Labour and Capital."

CENTRAL Methodist Mission, Kent-st.—11, Supply; 7, Rev. J. A. Bowring. Consecration Meeting, To-night.

CHURCH OF CHRIST, Elizabeth-st.—J. F. Lloyd, Evangelist, at 7 p.m. "Offering Strange Fire."

CLEVELAND-STREET WESLEYAN CHURCH.—11, Rev. R. Dyson 7, Rev. W. H. Beale.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Pitt-street.—Rev. Dr. Jefferis, morning, 11; evening, 7.

CROYDON Congregational Church.—Rev. W. Matheson, B.A., Morning and Evening.

CHRIST CHURCH, Sydney.—SUNDAY, 26th August, 1888.—Holy Communion, 7.30 a.m. and 11.45 a.m. (choral); Matins, 10.30 a.m.; Evensong, 7 p.m. Preacher, Rev. C. F. Garnsey.

CHURCH OF S. CLEMENT, MOSSMAN'S BAY, TO-MORROW, Matins, Holy Communion, and Sermon, 11 a.m.; Evensong and Sermon, 7.15 p.m. Preacher, Rev. G. North Ash, M.A. Offertories in aid of Church Building Fund.

DULWICH HILL.—Congregational Services in Athenæum.—Mr. S. Brown, 11 a.m.; Rev. E. G. Atkinson, 7 p.m.

FREE CHURCH OF ENGLAND, Kogarah.—Mr. Perry, 11; Mr. Hollingworth, 7.

GLEBE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, St. John's road.—TO-MORROW, 11 and 7, Rev. W. C. Robinson.

GLEBE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. — Rev. Andrew Gardiner, M.A., at 11 and 7.

GLEBE WESLEYAN CHURCH.

Glebe—Rev. R. Caldwell, 11; Rev. J. G. Martin, 7. Camperdown—Supply, 11; Rev. R. Caldwell, 7.

GREAT SYNAGOGUE, HYDE PARK.

A SPECIAL SERVICE will be held during the ensuing Holidays at the Protestant Hall, Castlereagh-street, under the supervision of the Rev. P. Philippstein, to whom early application for seats should be made, or to

S. FRANKEL, Secretary Great Synagogue.

HAY-ST. Wesleyan.—11, Mr. Hocking; 7, Mr. Lund. Pyrmont—11, Rev. J. Bowring; 7, Rev. W. Bourne.

HOLY TRINITY, Argyle-st.—Sunday morning, Dean of Sydney; evening, Archdeacon King.

JESUS ONLY MIGHTY TO SAVE. — Divine Healing through Faith in Jesus, at No. 2 Room, Temperance Hall, on SUNDAY, 26th, at 3 p.m. All free. Bring Bibles. Deuteronomy, 4th verse, xxx.

MARRICKVILLE Congregational Church.—Rev. J. G. Wilson, To-morrow, at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

MARRICKVILLE Presbyterian Church, Protestant Hall, Illawarra-road.—Rev. J. M. Ross will preach—Morning, 11; evening, 7.

NEW CHURCH SYDNEY SOCIETY, Temperance Hall, Pitt-street. Sunday morning, at 11, Mr. W. Newman.

NEWTOWN WESLEYAN CHURCH.—To-morrow, Rev. C. Stead, morning at 11; evening, at 7, special services.

NORTH SHORE (St. Peters) Presbyterian Church.—Rev. R. Mackinnon, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

OCEAN-STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Woollahra.—Rev. S. Savage, 11 and 7.

PASTOR ALLEN, To-morrow, 3 p.m., Domain Gates. "How Saints entered Heaven before Christ died."

PETERSHAM BAPTIST CHURCH.—Morning, 11, Rev. A. J. Clarke; evening, 7, Rev. J. A. Soper.

PETERSHAM Town Hall.—Half-hour Lectures by Rev. J. A. Soper every Sun. Afternoon, commencing Sep. 2.

PRIMITIVE METHODIST CHURCH, Marrickville.—Mr. Hambly, at 11; Rev. G. James, at 7.

PYRMONT and Ultimo Presbyterian Church, Quarry-street.—Rev. R. S. Paterson, at 11 and 7.

PYRMONT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Sunday, 26th, Rev. James Buchan, M.A. Morning, 11; evening, 7.

PRINCES-STREET WESLEYAN CHURCH.

Conclusion of Eight Days Mission. 11, Rev. W. E. Bourne; 7, Supply. Monday, Thanksgiving Service, 7.30.

RANDWICK WESLEYAN CHURCH.—11 and 7, Rev. J. Woodhouse.

REDFERN CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Rev. G. Campbell To-morrow Morning at 11, and Evening at 7.

SCOTS CHURCH, CHURCH-HILL.—Rev. James Paterson, from Scotland, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

ST. BARNABAS.—Service, 11 a.m., 7 p.m. All seats free. Evening: "Jacob, the Supplanter." Jos. Barnier.

ST. GEORGE'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Castlereagh-street, at 11 and 7, Rev. T. S. Forsaith.

ST. PETER'S, WOOLLOOMOOLOO.—August 26, 7.30 p.m., Holy Communion; 11 a.m., 7 p.m., Rev. T. B. Trees.

ST. SIMON and ST. JUDE'S, Campbell-street, Surry Hills, 11 and 7 (n.v.). All seats free. J. G. Southby, Minister.

SUTHERLAND Railway Station.—Sunday Special Service, 10 a.m., by Rev. W. J. Anderson, M.F.A.

SCOTS CHURCH, CHURCH-HILL.—Rev. J. PATERSON (from Nineveh and Babylon, from Archangel and Mandalay) will preach, 11 and 7. He Lectures on his travels on Thursday, at 8, in above Church.

SOUTH HEAD CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—August 26: Morning Service, 11—Subject, Numb. 16, 48; evening, 7, Mr. Simeon Brown; and Children's Service 3 o'clock (God willing).

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. ALEX. MILLER, M.A., To-morrow, at 11 and 7. Evening subject: "Women of the Bible," Lecture III., "DELILAH, the TEMPTRESS."

ST. STEPHEN'S, Phillip-street.—The Very Rev. Principal GRANT, D.D., of Queen's University, Canada, will Preach on SUNDAY, at 11; Rev. J. W. INGLIS, at 7, on "The Whole Family in Heaven and Earth."

ST. MATTHIAS', PADDINGTON. Services—To-morrow, 11 a.m.; preacher, Rev. Z. Barry, LL.D. 7 p.m., Rev. D. D. Rutledge, M.A. Service every Wednesday evening, at 7.15, and Bible Class at 8.

SYDNEY EVANGELISTIC MISSION in the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, SUNDAY EVENING, 7.15 o'clock. Gospel addresses. Sankey's Hymns. Seats free. No collection.

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ST. ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL.

Holy Communion, 8 a.m. and midday.

Preachers: 11 a.m., Rev. C. S. HAWKEN, B.A. 3.15 p.m., the Archdeacon of Camden, 7 p.m., the DEAN.

SUSSEX-STREET MISSION CHURCH.—The Anniversary Services in connection with the above TO-MORROW. Morning, George Lewis. In the Afternoon there will be a Children's Flower Service, at 3 o'clock. In the Evening Rev. John G. Fraser, M.A., will preach.

The TEA and PUBLIC MEETING will be held on TUESDAY EVENING. Tea at half-past 6, the meeting at half-past 7.

UNITARIAN CHURCH, Liverpool-street. Minister: Rev. GEO. WALTERS. At 11 a.m., "Calm after Storm." At 7 p.m., "A Man's a Man for a' That."

WAVERLEY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Rev. Arthur T. Collier, morning, at 11; evening, at 7.

WAVERLEY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. J. J. Knipe (Queensland), 11 and 7.

WESLEYAN Church, Paddington.—Rev. J. Woolnough, 11; Rev. A. Parsons, 7; evg., "God, the Creator."

WOOLLAHRA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. John Walker Preaches To-morrow, morn. and evng.

WOOLLOOMOOLOO Presbyterian Church, Palmer-street.—Rev. J. F. Henderson to-morrow, at 11 and 7.

WESLEYAN CHURCH CENTENNIAL THANKSGIVING FUND.

SERMONS in connection with the above will be preached in the William-street Church, Woolloomooloo, TO-MORROW—Morning, 11; Evening, 7—by the Rev. R. Sellors, D.D.

Public MEETING in the Church, THURSDAY, August 30th, at 7.30 p.m. Addresses by several ministers and other friends. Choice selections of music by the choir.

WESLEY CHURCH SABBATH SCHOOL, CHIPPENDALE.

THE ANNIVERSARY SERVICES of the above School will be held on SUNDAY NEXT, August 26, when Sermons will be preached. In the Morning, by the Rev. Dr. KELYNACK. In the Evening, by the Rev. C. JONES.

In the AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, the Rev. E. J. RODD will conduct a CHILDREN'S SERVICE.

On MONDAY, AUGUST 27, the ANNUAL TEA and PUBLIC MEETING will be held. Tea on the tables at 6.45 p.m. Tickets, 1s each.

Y. M. C. A.—Young Men's MEETING, THIS (Saturday) EVENING, at 7.30. Strangers welcome.

Y. M. C. A.—BIBLE CLASS, TO-MORROW, Sunday, at 3 p.m. Strangers welcome.

Y. M. C. A.—Young Men's Gospel MEETING, TO-MORROW, SUNDAY, at 7.15 p.m. Young men invited.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, MELBOURNE.

Fifteenth Annual Christian CONFERENCE, Freemasons' Hall, TUESDAY to FRIDAY, September 11 to 14, 1888, Daily at 3 and 7.30.

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Closing with a united Communion Service.
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SPRINGWOOD CHURCH.—The FOUNDATION-STONE will be LAID on SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, by the Right Rev. the Dean of Sydney, at 3.35 p.m. Subscriptions may be sent to CHAS. MOORE, Treasurer.

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AUSTRALIAN RECORD. TO-DAY: Notes of the Week—Leaders—Church News of Australia and the World—Missions—Temperance, &c.—Life of late Archdeacon Cowper. In next week's Children's Column commences that renowned story for children (of all growths)—"Little Lord Fauntleroy."

MISS LYDIA VON FINKELSTEIN INTERVIEWED.

THE STORY OF HER LIFE.

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Meetings.

NATIONAL SHIPWRECK RELIEF SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

The Eleventh Annual MEETING will be held in the Town Hall on MONDAY EVENING next, the 27th August, at 8 p.m.

The chair will be taken by his Excellency the Governor, and the following gentlemen will address the meeting:—

Hon. Sir H. Parkes, K.C.M.G.	Hon. F. Abigail, M.P.
Hon. S. A. Joseph, M.L.C.	G. H. Reid, Esq., M.P.
F. H. Trouton, Esq., J.P.	Jacob Garrard, Esq., M.P.
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The Medals of the Society awarded during the year will be presented by his Excellency.

The Naval Brigade Band will perform by permission.

All interested in the Society are invited to be present.

A. T. WILSHIRE, Secretary.

AUSTRALIAN ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF SCIENCE.

ARRANGEMENTS for the MEETING:—

TUESDAY, August 28.	Mrs. Russell's Garden Party at the Observatory, 2 to 5.30. General Meeting at the University at 8.30, his Excellency the Governor in the chair. Presidential Address.
WEDNESDAY, August 29.	Sectional Committees at the University, 10.30 a.m. Papers before the Sections, 11 to 1, including Presidential Addresses in sections A, C, D, F. Reception by his Worship the Mayor at the Town Hall, 8 p.m. Linnean Society's Meeting, 8 p.m.
THURSDAY, August 30.	Sectional Committees at 10.30 a.m. Papers before the sections, 11 to 1, including Presidential Addresses in sections B, E, G, H, I, J. Excursions in afternoon. Lecture at the University, at 8 p.m., by Sir James Hector, on "The Volcanic Eruptions in the Hot Lake District of New Zealand."
FRIDAY, August 31.	Sectional Committees, at 10.30 a.m. Papers before the Sections, 11 to 1. Excursions in the afternoon. General Meeting of the Association at University. Lecture at the University, at 8 p.m., by Professor Baldwin Spencer, B.A., on "Recent Discoveries on the Pineal Eye."
SATURDAY, September 1.	Sectional Committees, at 10.30 a.m. Papers before the Section, 11 to 1. Excursion in the afternoon.
MONDAY, September 3.	Excursion.
TUESDAY, September 4.	Meeting of the General Committee at the Royal Society's House, at 4.15 p.m.
WEDNESDAY, September 5.	Royal Society's Conversazione at the University, at 8 p.m.

The Association is not confined to members of Scientific Societies. All who join before the first meeting become original members without entrance fee.

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LINNEAN SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

The Ordinary Monthly MEETING of this Society will be held at the Linnean Hall, Elizabeth Bay, on WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 29, at 8 o'clock p.m. The following papers are announced to be read:—(1) "Notes on the Carenides, with Descriptions of New Species," by J. G. Sloane. (2) "Australian Diptera, Part III.," by F. A. Skuse. (3) "On Some Australian Aboriginal Carvings," by Dr. Cox. (4) "On the Lemnaceæ, or Duckweeds," by Dr. Woolls. (5) "On the Insects of King's Sound, Part III," by W. Macleay. (6) "On Some Varieties of Butterflies," by A. S. Olliff.

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UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY.

In compliance with the Requisition signed by twenty-five Graduates, requesting that a MEETING of CONVOCATION should be summoned to consider the following matters:—

1. That the Fellows of the Senate should be elected for a definite term of years, and not for life, but should be eligible for re-election.
2. That the Professors should not be ex-officio Fellows of the Senate, but should be eligible for election.
3. That the Chancellor should be elected by Convocation, and should not necessarily be a member of Convocation.
4. That Convocation other than for the election of Fellows should be summoned at least twice in each year.
5. That Convocation should be empowered to originate any statute or regulation, and recommend the same for the approval of the Senate.
6. That the Senate be requested to obtain the necessary authority from Parliament for giving effect to the preceding resolutions—

I, the Chancellor of the University, do hereby convene a MEETING of Members of Convocation, to be held at 11 a.m. on SATURDAY, the 1st of September, at the Rooms of the Royal Society.

W. M. MANNING, Chancellor.

BAKERS' DISPUTE will be explained at a Public MEETING to be held at the Free Church, Ricketty-street, North Botany), on MONDAY EVENING, August 27.

Mr. Lennon, president of the Stonemasons' Union, and several members of the Trades and Labour Council—it is also expected the Mayor and Aldermen of North Botany—will address the meeting in favour of eight hours.

Residents of the district are requested to attend. Ladies in particular, and get a list of the names of union and non-union employers. J. R. Talbot, president of the Trades and Labour Council, will take the chair at 8 o'clock sharp.

JOHN HAWKINS, Secretary.

CITY and Suburban Water Supply.—A MEETING of Licensed Plumbers and Importers of Plumbers' Materials will be held in the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, on MONDAY AFTERNOON Next, at 3, to consider existing and proposed arrangements of Water and Sewerage Board re water supply. Thomas J. Bown and Co., John Danks and Son, J. Edward Sailer.

ANTI-CHINESE LEAGUE, Newtown Branch.—A PUBLIC MEETING will be held at the Town Hall Hotel on TUESDAY EVENING, 8 o'clock. G. F. GARTON. J. A. MITCHELL, Secretary.

SOUTHERN RUGBY FOOTBALL UNION.

A MEETING, under the auspices of this Union, will be held on FRIDAY EVENING next, the 31st instant, at 8 o'clock, at the Sydney Town Hall, for the purpose of taking steps to Commemorate the Memory of the late Mr. R. L. Seddon, Captain of the English Football Team.

His Worship the Mayor of Sydney will preside.

A. HALE, J. F. M'MANAMEY, Joint Hon. Secs.

NEW SOUTH WALES BOWLING ASSOCIATION. A Special General Meeting of the Members of the above will be held at Thorpe's Oxford Hotel, King-st., on FRIDAY, Aug. 31, at 8 p.m. Business: To consider the advisability of holding the Intercolonial Bowling Match in Melbourne this year in the month of November instead of at Easter time. R. Lucas, hon. sec.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—TO THE MEMBERS OF THE VARIOUS BENEFIT SOCIETIES.—A Public MEETING will take place on an early date, at the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, to take into consideration the duties and powers of the Registrar of Friendly Benefit Societies. Members bring your wives and sons. Important.

J. A. KEAN, Acting Secretary.

IN the Bankrupt Estate of WILLIAM JOHN STEPHENSON, of Parramatta and Sydney, Boot Importer.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

A MEETING of the Creditors in the above Estate will be held at my office on MONDAY Next, the 27th instant, at 2.30 p.m., to consider important business in connection with the realisation of the Estate.

LANCELOT T. LLOYD, Official Assignee.

25, Donman-chambers, Phillip-street, Sydney, August 24, 1888.

THE SOUTH AUSTRALIAN BREWING, MALTING, AND WINE AND SPIRIT COMPANY, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary General MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held on FRIDAY, the 14th day of September, 1888, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at the York Hotel, Adelaide, to receive the Report of the Directors, and to transact other ordinary business of the Company.

And, further notice is given, that the Transfer Books of the Company will be CLOSED from the 7th to the 14th day of September, 1888, inclusive.

Dated this 21st day of August, 1888.

By order of the Board.

GERALD JAY.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY'S £25,000 PENSION FUND.

A MEETING of Members of the A. M. P. Society opposed to payment of pensions to the officers will be held in the Town Hall or Temperance Hall on FRIDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER, to raise funds to have the Pension matter tried in the Equity Court. His Worship the Mayor will most likely take the chair.

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MUTUAL LIFE ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALASIA.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Yearly General MEETING of members of the above Association will be held at the Principal Office, George and Wynyard streets, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, 29th August next, at 3 p.m., to receive the Nineteenth Annual Report of the Directors, being for the year ended 30th June, 1888; to Elect two Directors in the room of the Hon. J. B. Watt, M.L.C., and Samuel Dickinson, Esq., who retire by rotation, but are eligible for re-election; to Elect an Auditor in the room of Mr. J. D. Ewens, who retires in accordance with Bylaw 34, but is eligible for re-election; and to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting in accordance with the bylaws.

By order of the Board.

J. C. REMINGTON, General Manager.

Sydney, July 24, 1888.

The Hon. J. B. WATT, M.L.C. (Chairman) and SAMUEL DICKINSON, Esq. (Deputy-chairman), have given the notices required by Bylaw 6 that they are Candidates for re-election as Directors.

Mr. JOHN D. EWENS has given the necessary notice of his Candidature for re-election as Auditor.

J. C. REMINGTON, General Manager.

Sydney, August 1, 1888.

HUNTER RIVER NEW STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the thirty-sixth Annual General MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Office at Morpeth on TUESDAY, the 28th current, at 11 o'clock a.m., to receive the Report of the Directors for the half-year ended July 31, 1888; to elect two Directors to fill the vacancies caused by the retirement by rotation of J. R. Wolfe and S. Clift, Esquires, who have given the requisite notice, and are the only candidates for re-election; to elect two Auditors; and to transact any other business that may be brought before the meeting, in conformity with the Deed of Settlement.

By order of the Board,

F. J. THOMAS, Manager.

Sydney Office, 15th August, 1888.

HUDSON BROTHERS, Limited.

EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING.

A Special General MEETING of Shareholders in this Company will be held in the Hall of the Chamber of Commerce, Exchange, Sydney, on THURSDAY, 30th August, at noon.

BUSINESS:

To amend the Company's Articles of Association by the addition of the following clause:—

"The Company may from time to time reduce its capital."

By order of the Board.

JOHN J. WOOD, Secretary.

No. 19, Macquarie-place, August 15, 1888.

THE BROKEN HILL PROPRIETARY BLOCK 10 COMPANY, Limited.

GENERAL MEETING.

NOTICE is hereby given that the FIRST ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above Company will be held on FRIDAY, the 14th day of September, 1888, at Scott's Hotel, Collins-street West, Melbourne, at 3 o'clock p.m.

BUSINESS:

To Elect Directors of the Company in the place of the present directors—Messrs. W. P. Macgregor, D. E. M'Bryde, W. R. Wilson, G. M'Culloch, Bowes Kelly, and K. C. Macpherson, who retire from office, but offer themselves, and are eligible, for re-election.

Dated at 15, Queen-street, Melbourne, this 22nd day of August, 1888.

By order of the Board,

JOHN BRANDON, Secretary.

THE LEWIS PONDS EXTENDED GOLD AND SILVER MINING COMPANY, Limited.

A Special General MEETING of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Company's Office on FRIDAY, the 31st instant, at 12 o'clock noon.

Business: To consider the position of the Company.

All holders of scrip, not being original subscribers, are requested to get their scrip transferred at the Registered Office of the Company, otherwise they will be debarred from voting or attending meeting.

By order.

R. E. DE R. LOPEZ, Legal Manager.

United-chambers, Hunter-street, 17th August, 1888.

THE GREAT CENTRAL COPPER-MINING COMPANY, Limited.

The Annual General MEETING (being the thirteenth ordinary half-yearly meeting) of Shareholders in the abovenamed company will be held at the company's office, Bond-street-chambers, Bond-street, on THURSDAY, the 30th August instant, at 30 minutes after 3 o'clock in the afternoon, to receive directors' report and balance-sheet; to elect three directors in the places of Thomas Alcock, Esq., E. Biddulph Henning, Esq., and the Honorable Ebenezer Vickery, M.L.C., who retire by effluxion of time, are eligible for re-election, and are the only duly qualified shareholders who have given the necessary notice of being candidates for the seats about to become vacant at the board; also to elect two auditors in the place of Messrs. B. H. Chapman and J. B. Waterhouse, who are likewise eligible for re-election.

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M. BOYLSON and SONS, Millers and Grain Merchants, have on SALE (their own make) Superfine Household and Seconds FLOUR, in sacks and quarters; also DUN'S CELEBRATED ADELAIDE HUNGARIAN ECLIPSE ROLLER FLOUR, Wheat Meal, Sharps, Pollard, Bran, Cow Meal, Chicken Wheat, Cracked Maize, MILL DUST, AND SWEEPINGS, for Pig Feed.

Head Office ALBION MILLS, Little Albion-street, Surry Hills.

HAMS. HAMS. HAMS. Irish HAMS just Landed. Splendid quality. CAIRD, MAXWELL, and CO., 58, Margaret-street.

FLOUR.—Ours is made with best Patent Rollers, for white, sweet, and large bread. Please try it. Also superfine, fine, Wheat Meal, Sharps, Pollard, Bran, Chick Wheat, Cow Meal, all Mill Produce. J. and J. WEARNE, Goulburn-st.

BREAD, best machine-made, full weight, 2lb. loaf 3d. Orange Butter Co., 748, George-street South.

POTATOES (New Zealands and Circular Heads), Maize, Oats, Pyedust, Guano, and Prairie G. Seed. C. Bank.

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Government Notices.

Colonial's Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 22nd August, 1888.

ENFIELD, DRUITT TOWN, AND PART OF CROYDON.—PETITION FOR A MUNICIPALITY.

His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, directs the publication, in accordance with the Municipalities Act of 1867, of the substance and prayer of a petition addressed to his Excellency and signed by 153 persons, praying that their locality therein described may be erected into a Municipality under the name of the "Borough of Enfield, and be divided into three wards.

HENRY PARKES.

The petitioners state that they are persons who upon incorporation would be liable to be assessed for Municipal rates in respect of property or household residence.

That the population of the proposed Municipality is not less than 1500, and the area thereof does not exceed 1½ square miles.

That the following are the boundaries proposed, viz.:—

From the corner of Greenhill-street and Liverpool-road thence southerly along the west side of Greenhill-street to the George's River-road; thence westerly along the north side of the George's River-road to the Burwood-road; thence southerly along the west side of the Burwood-road to Cook's River; thence along the north bank of Cook's River to the bridge on the Liverpool-road; thence along the south side of the Liverpool-road to the point of commencement at Greenhill-street.

EAST WARD.

Commencing at the corner of Greenhill-street and Liverpool-road; thence southerly along the west side of Greenhill-street to the corner of George's River-road; thence westerly along the north side of the George's River-road to the corner of the Burwood-road; thence northerly along the east side of the Burwood-road, to the corner of the Liverpool-road; thence easterly along the south side of the Liverpool-road, to point of commencement.

CENTRAL WARD.

Commencing at the corner of the Burwood and Liverpool roads; thence southerly along the west side of the Burwood road, to the north bank of the Cook's River; thence along the north bank of the Cook's River to the corner of the Punch Bowl-road; thence northerly along the east side of the Punch Bowl-road to the corner of the Liverpool road; thence alone the south side of the Liverpool-road to the point of commencement.

WEST WARD.

Commencing at the corner of the Punch Bowl and Liverpool roads, southerly along the west side of the Punch Bowl-road to the Cook's River; thence along the north bank of the Cook's River to the bridge on the Liverpool-road; thence along the south side of the Liverpool-road to the point of commencement.

"Your petitioners trust that your Excellency will deal favourably with the foregoing."

No.	Signature.	Designation.
1	Edw. C. Ormer	Householder
2	Kelso King	Freeholder
3	S. Hungerford	Householder
4	Thomas Hodson	Freeholder
5	R. B. Baynes	Householder
6	J. Elkington	Householder
7	Tom B. Wilkinson	Freeholder
8	R. H. Bachlor	Householder
9	Francis H. Woodriff	Householder
10	Hugh Cadden, J.P.	Householder
11	J. C. Hickson	Freeholder
12	Geo. Rutherford	Freeholder
13	J. Earl	Freeholder
14	Robert Duff	Freeholder
15	Harry Nell	Freeholder
16	John Dart	Householder
17	James Phypers	Freeholder
18	William Duffield Cansdell	Householder
19	Josiah W. Richards	Householder
20	Benjamin Parkin	Householder
21	Lewis Backhaus	Freeholder
22	Michael C. Hard	Freeholder
23	William Priest	Householder
24	Frederick Williams	Householder
25	George Jifkins	Householder
26	Maria Baker	Householder
27	Dennis Staunton	Freeholder
28	William G. West	Freeholder
29	David Burgess	Freeholder
30	Henry O'Hara	Freeholder
31	Thomas Brown	Freeholder
32	Charles Mead	Freeholder
33	George White	Freeholder
34	John Simpson	Freeholder
35	George Edward Ellis	Freeholder
36	Thomas Edgar Dain	Freeholder
37	Hammoth Their	Freeholder
38	Alfred Addison Cowdroy his x cross. Witness—C. Clayton	Freeholder
39	Alfred Hooke	Freeholder
40	James Hudson	Freeholder
41	Lewis Henry Baker	Freeholder
42	Mary Ferguson	Freeholder
43	Charles Webl	Freeholder
44	James Sadler	Freeholder
45	William Rogers	Freeholder
46	Thomas Bloye	Freeholder
47	John M'Kain	Freeholder
48	Hugh Alston	Householder
49	Thomas Matthews	Freeholder
50	K. E. Thomson	Householder
51	David M. Angus	Householder
52	Arthur A. Holdsworth	Freeholder
53	James Rix	Householder
54	Charles Harding	Householder
55	Emily Macquarie	Householder
56	Ellen Pownall	Householder
57	William Foy	Freeholder
58	William Mossman	Freeholder
59	James Schnust his x cross. Witness—C. Clayton.	Freeholder
60	Robert Lester his x cross. Witness—C. Clayton.	Freeholder
61	James Wareham	Householder
62	James Tomkins	Freeholder
63	John Taylor	Freeholder
64	Adam Reader	Freeholder
65	George Tomkins	Householder
66	Benjamin Proctor	Freeholder
67	William Andrews	Householder
68	James Sutherland	Freeholder
69	Edward Farraway	Freeholder
70	Johon Lau Pue	Freeholder
71	Luigi Cesvetto	Freeholder
72	John F. M. Hart	Adelaide
73	Fredk. Pilcher	Freeholder
74	Henry C. P. Pilcher	Freeholder
75	George W. Newbould	Freeholder
76	James H. Witton	Householder
77	John Thomas Lawler	Freeholder
78	William Dewick	Freeholder
79	Joseph Collins	Freeholder
80	John Cretschmann	Freeholder
81	James Edwin Tucker	Householder
82	Thomas Jenkins	Freeholder
83	Frank Archer	Freeholder
84	William Hill	Freeholder
85	William Wood	Householder
86	Charles Meredith	Householder
87	John M'Anally	Householder
88	John H. K. Brown	Freeholder
89	William Nicholls	Freeholder
90	Thomas Richardson	Freeholder
91	Alfred Lane	Tenant
92	William Geo. Adams	Householder
93	Henry D. Willcore	Householder
94	Rose Davis	Householder
95	James Begnell his X mark. Witness—C. Clayton	Freeholder
96	Frederick G. Theen	Freeholder
97	Thomas Robson	Householder
98	Robert Fotheringham	Freeholder
99	Joseph O'Brien	Freeholder
100	Henry Ralph	Householder
101	John Ashton	Freeholder
102	Edward Horn	Householder
103	Timothy Slater	Householder
104	William Dales	Householder
105	Daniel Lynch	Householder
106	Ellen Reardon	Householder
107	Henry Bartlett	Freeholder
108	William Fred Hornby	Freeholder
109	James Stark	Freeholder
110	Mary Clark	Householder
111	John Hefford	Freeholder
112	John P. Watson	Freeholder
113	Frank Howell	Freeholder
114	Elih Harris	Freeholder
115	W. Chs. Webb	Freeholder
116	Fredk. Towers Towers	Freeholder
117	Jamine Branch his X cross. Witness—C. Clayton.	Householder
118	William Sutton	Householder
119	Alicia Blacket	Freeholder
120	Thomas Forsyth	Householder
121	Marie Larcalestier	Freeholder
122	Leslie Crawford	Freeholder
123	Carl Hartzmann	Freeholder
124	Thomas Smith Richardson	Freeholder
125	George James Bursiem	Householder
126	William Smith his X cross. Witness—C. Clayton.	Freeholder
127	Thomas Dennis	Freeholder
128	Elizabeth Bell	Householder
129	Henry Lenard	Householder
130	Jabez Richards	Freeholder
131	John Robert Amos	Freeholder
132	Henry Crouch	Householder
133	Joseph Pettitt	Freeholder
134	Sydney Herbert	Householder
135	John Smith	Householder
136	Jeannette Beard	Freeholder
137	John C. Harrison	Householder
138	William D. Hughes	Freeholder
139	William F. Ross	Freeholder
140	James S. Hughes	Freeholder
141	C. Clayton	Freeholder
142	John William Dawson	Householder
143	K. Matheson	Freeholder
144	Robert Dews	Householder
145	Frederick Reed	Freeholder
146	C. Parsons	Freeholder
147	George Whiteman	Ad'lade Park proprietor
148	J. A. Davis	Householder
149	George Hogg	Freeholder
150	W. M. Stack	Freeholder
151	James H. Bolsteo	Householder
152	Thomas Huish	Householder
153	William Wright	Householder

I, Cornelius Clayton, do solemnly declare that the signatures affixed to the above petition, Nos. 19 to 138 and 148 to 153 inclusive, are the genuine signatures of the persons whose signatures they purport to be, and that such persons are persons liable to assessment for municipal taxes in respect of property or household residence within the boundaries of the proposed borough as set forth in this petition.

CORNELIUS CLAYTON, Freeholder.

Declared by the said Cornelius Clayton in the presence of—
CHAS. H. HUMPHREY, J.P.
July 3, 1888.

I, William Duffield, do solemnly declare that the signatures affixed to the above petition, numbered 1 to 18 and 139 to 147 inclusive, are the genuine signatures of the persons whose signatures they purport to be, and that such persons are persons liable to assessment for municipal taxes in respect of property or household residence within the boundaries of the proposed borough as set forth in this petition.

WM. DUFFIELD CANSDELL, Householder.

Declared by the said William Duffield Cansdell in the presence of—
ALF. W. SLADEN, J.P.
Sydney, July 17, 1888.

Department of Lands,
Sydney, 23rd July, 1888.

TENDERS FOR RABBIT-PROOF FENCING.

TENDERS will be received at this Office until 11 o'clock on TUESDAY, the 28th day of August, 1888, from persons willing to contract for the Erection of Two Gates, 12 chains post and rail fencing, Repairing and Altering about 26 miles 40 chains of existing fences, and attaching wire netting to about 48 miles 60 chains fencing,—between a point on the boundary-line dividing the colonies of New South Wales and South Australia, about 20 chains north of a mile post marked "134" and the 183rd-mile post on the said line.

Specifications and forms of tender may be obtained at the Inquiry Branch of this Department, and upon application to the Crown Lands Agents at Wentworth and Wilcannia; the Mining Registrar, Broken Hill; Messrs. George Ferguson and Co., Unity-chambers, Currie-street, Adelaide; and Messrs. S. Drew and Co., Kooringa, S. A.

The lowest tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Tenders to be addressed to the Under-Secretary for Lands, and endorsed "Tender for Rabbit-proof Fencing, Section 5."

HENRY PARKES.

Department of Mines,
Sydney, 7th August, 1888.

APPLICATIONS received in the Department of Mines for permission to mine under roads, &c., &c., under the Mining Act, 1874, section 28:—

FRANCIS ABIGAIL.

Date of application,* March 28, 1888; date of receipt of application, March 29, 1888; name of applicant, William W. Carman; description of land applied for, part of travelling stock reserve No. 962, between the Cooma-road and the Murrumbidgee River, about 1 mile from Cooma-road, adjoining D. Flannery's claim, county Beresford, parish Michelago; extent, 20a.; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for gold.

Date of application,†; date of receipt of application, May 3, 1888; name of applicant, G. T. K. Cole, J. Pasterelli, and Margaret Ryan; description of land applied for, part of Gilmore-street, town of Adelong; extent, 1½ chains by 400 feet; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for gold.

Date of application, June 1, 1888‡; date of receipt of application, June 4, 1888; name of applicant, A. C. Betts; description of land applied for, eastern part of water reserve No. 9 (portion No. 56), about 25 chains from the Murrumbidgee River, county Beresford, parish Colinton; extent, 20a.; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for gold.

Date of application, June 23, 1888; date of receipt of application, June 27, 1888; name of applicant, B. A. Moses; description of land applied for, road separating portion No. 143 from portions Nos. 10 and 156, county Sandon, parish Tilbuster; extent, 4a.; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for silver.

Date of application, July 25, 1888; date of receipt of application, July 25, 1888; name of applicant, John Coglan; description of land applied for, part of Church-street and Alexander-street, town of Hargraves, formerly held by Bond and party; extent, 2a. 1r. 24p.; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for gold.

Date of application, July 26, 1888; date of receipt of application, July 26, 1888; name of applicant, Edward Gray; description of land applied for, part of Hunter River and Fullerton Cove; extent, 1280a.; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for coal.

Date of application, July 26, 1888; date of receipt of application, July 26, 1888; names of applicant, Edward Gray; description of land applied for, part of reserve No. 57, bounded on the east by Cataract River, south by Goondarrin Creek, north and west by lines to include area, county Camden, parish Cordeaux; extent, 5000a.; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for coal.

Date of application, July 26, 1888; date of receipt of application, July 26, 1888; name of applicant, Edwin E. Chapple; description of land applied for, part of reserve No. 33 for railway and timber purposes, county St. Vincent, parish Currambene; extent, 2000a.; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for coal and shale.

Date of application, July 26, 1887; date of receipt of application, July 26, 1888: name of applicant, Carella D. Sullivan; description of land applied for, part of reserve No. 33 for railway and timber purposes, county St. Vincent, parish Currambene; extent, 2000a.; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for coal and shale.

Date of application, July 26, 1888; date of receipt of application, July 26, 1888; name of applicant, William H. Hill; description of land applied for, part of reserve No. 33 for railway and timber purposes, county St. Vincent, parish Currambene; extent, 2000a.; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for coal and shale.

Date of application, July 26, 1888; date of receipt of application, July 26, 1888; name of applicant, Arthur W. Chapple; description of land applied for, part of reserve No. 33 for railway and timber purposes, county St. Vincent, parish Currambene; extent, 2000a.; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for coal and shale.

Date of application, July 26, 1888; date of receipt of application, July 26, 1888; name of applicant, Alexander Bruce; description of land applied for, part of reserve No. 33 for railway and timber purposes, county St. Vincent, parish Currambene; extent, 2000a.; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for coal and shale.

Date of application, July 26, 1888; date of receipt of application, July 26, 1888; name of applicant, James Bruce; description of land applied for, part of reserve for coal, No. 23, on the foreshores of Jervis Bay; extent, 200a.; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for coal and shale.

Date of application, July 26, 1888; date of receipt of application, July 26, 1888; name of applicant, W. R. Newton; description of land applied for, whole of Jervis Bay from a line from Perpendicular Head to Governor Head, and including Bower Island; extent, 35,000a.; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for coal and shale.

Date of application, July 21, 1888; date of receipt of application, July 31, 1888; name of applicant, William Carson; description of land applied for, pasturage reserve, including reserve for racecourse and public recreation, West Maitland, and Maitland and Morpeth rifle ranges, county Northumberland, parish Maitland, bounded north by Sinclair-street, east by E. C. Close's 1030a., south by F. C. Close's 560a. and J. Moore's 2500a., and west by J. P. Wickham's 540a.; extent, 604a.; purpose for which land is to be used, to mine for coal.

Date of application, July 30, 1888; date of receipt of application, July 30, 1889; name of applicant, Robert Beeston; description of land applied for, temporary common and pasturage reserve for Raymond Terrace, notified December 24, 1861, county Gloucester, parish Eldon; extent, 1300a.; purpose for which land is to be used, to mine for coal.

* In lieu of notice which appeared in Gazette of April 6, 1888.
† Ditto ditto ditto May 11, 1888.
‡ Ditto ditto ditto June 8, 1888.

Department of Mines,
Sydney, 21st August, 1888.

APPLICATIONS received in the Department of Mines for permission to mine under roads, &c., &c., under the Mining Act, 1874, section 28.

FRANCIS ABIGAIL.

Date of application, 23rd July, 1888; date of receipt of application, July 27, 1888; name of applicant, W. Paton, jun., Patrick Corbett, Henry Ford, and Raymond Clyffard; description of land applied for, part of reserve No. 2377, county Wynyard, parish Yaven, about 15 chains from the north-east boundary of the reserve, following a washaway leading to the main creek, and embracing the washaway; 10a.; purpose for which land is to be used, to mine for gold.

Date of application, August 10, 1888; date of receipt of application, August 10, 1888; name of applicant, Charles Bate; description of land applied for, travelling stock reserve, No. 69, county Cook, parish Lidsdale; 640a.; purpose for which land is to be used, to mine for coal and shale.

Date of application, August 7, 1888; date of receipt of application, August 11, 1888; name of applicant, T. S. Huntley; description of land applied for, Tilgerry Creek, Port Stephens, extending west from Carumba or Mud Point, and including Bulls and Mud islands, and any part of the foreshores reserved; 2000a.; purpose for which land is to be used, to mine for coal and shale.

Date of application, August 7, 1888; date of receipt of application, August 11, 1888; name of applicant, R. W. Harvey; description of land applied for, all the area covered by the water of Port Stephens, between Terriiba Point, Mud Point, and Soldier's Point, including Pelican Island and any reserves on the foreshore; 2000a.; purpose for which land is to be used, to mine for coal and shale.

Date of application, August 7, 1888; date of receipt of application, August 11, 1888; name of applicant, O. Trickett; description of land applied for, all the area under Salamander Bay, between Sandy Point and Soldier's Point, Port Stephens, and reserves, if any, on the foreshore; 2000a.; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for coal and shale.

Date of application, August 9, 1888; date of receipt of application, August 9, 1888; name of applicant, Charles Bate; description of land applied for, part of reserve No. 100, near Wentworth Falls, county Cook, bounded on part of the north by Frost's 40-acre portion and railway line, on the west by village of Brasfort and reserve No. 76-102, again on the north by portions Nos. 10, 9, 6, 4, 3, 2a, and 2; on the south by Jamieson's Valley and portions Nos. 105 and 104, and on the east by portions Nos. 53, 52, 51, 25, and 24; 640a.; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for coal and shale.

Date of application, July 23, 1888; date of receipt of application, July 24, 1888; name of applicant, D. S. R. Kirkwood, description of land applied for, part of Fullerton Cove, Port Hunter; 640a.; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for coal and shale.

Date of application, July 23, 1888; date of receipt of application, July 24, 1888; name of applicant, G. S. Buzacott; description of land applied for, part of Fullerton Cove, Port Hunter; 640a.; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for coal and shale.

Date of application, July 23, 1888; date of receipt of application, July 24, 1888; name of applicant, Geo. Massey; description of land applied for, part of Fullerton Cove, Port Hunter; 640a.; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for coal and shale.

Date of application, July 24, 1888; date of receipt of application, July 24, 1888; name of applicant, Robert W. Hardie; description of land applied for, part of Fullerton Cove, Port Hunter; 640a.; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for coal and shale.

Date of application, August 9, 1888; date of receipt of application, August 9, 1888; name of applicant, J. E. Tonkin; description of land applied for, part of Fullerton Cove, Port Hunter; 640a.; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for coal and shale.

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE.

NOTICE TO LICENSED PLUMBERS AND OTHERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after the first day of December next all Main, Path, Draw, Stop, and other Cocks, Taps, and Fittings used for the purpose of conveying water from the mains shall be of a description approved by the Board, and samples of which may be seen at the Board Engineer's Office.

By order,
REGINALD BLOXSOME, Secretary.

Water Supply and Sewerage Department,
Old A. S. N. Co.'s Offices, George-street North,
Sydney, 18th August, 1888.

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE.

NOTICE.

The Public are CAUTIONED against Paying WATER RATES to any persons representing themselves as Collectors, as payments are only received at the Office of the Board, no collectors having been appointed.

By order.
REGINALD BLOXSOME, Secretary.

Water Supply and Sewerage Department,
Old A. S. N. Co.'s Offices, George-street North.
August 16, 1888.

GUNPOWDER FOR SALE.

About 13,532lb. of large-grain GUNPOWDER for SALE, on application to the undersigned. This powder is now lying at the Imperial Government Store, at Spectacle Island, and will require to be removed immediately by purchaser, subject to the observance of the Explosives Act of New South Wales and the payment of duty.

F. A. CARTER, Staff Paymaster in charge.

H.M.S. Naval Depot, Sydney,
10th August, 1888.

MELBOURNE EXHIBITION, 1888.

CHEAP EXCURSION TRAINS.

SPECIAL through TRAINS, conveying First and Second Class Passengers, will leave Sydney at 5.30 a.m. on TUESDAY, the 28th August, and every following TUESDAY until further notice, calling at intermediate stations, as under:—

Granville, 6.15 a.m.
Campbelltown, 6.50 a.m.
Picton, 7.25 a.m.
Mittagong, 8.45 a.m.
Marulan, 10.25 a.m.
Goulburn, 11 a.m.
Gunning, 12 noon
Yass, 12.45 p.m.
Harden, 2.5 p.m.
Junee, 3.55 p.m.
Wagga, 5.5 p.m.
Albury, 6.55 p.m.

The Victorian train will leave Albury at 7.25 p.m., and run through to Melbourne same night.

Cheap Excursion Tickets, available for return for one month, will be issued by these trains at the following reduced rates:—

FIRST CLASS ... £3 0 0
SECOND CLASS ... 2 0 0

Children under 12 years of age, half fare.

These cheap tickets will be available only by return Special Trains, leaving Melbourne at 10.10 a.m. each Tuesday until further notice.

These tickets must be purchased not later than 4 p.m. on the MONDAY preceding the date on which the train is shown to run.

Passengers from stations on Southern line not mentioned above may book at these cheap rates to Melbourne, and travel by the ordinary trains without extra charge to the nearest station at which the specials are timed to stop.

C. A. GOODCHAP, Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Railways,
Sydney, 23th August, 1888.

Department of Railways, Sydney,
21st August, 1888.

RANDWICK RACES.

TATTERSALL'S CLUB RACE MEETING, 25th AUGUST, 1888.

A SPECIAL TRAM, suitable for private parties and ladies, will leave Bridge-street at 12.30 p.m., for the Racecourse direct, and will arrive in time for the first race. On the return journey it will await the finish of the last race.

Passengers are requested to enter cars from the platform at the tram yards, Bridge-street.

Return Tickets, 3s 6d each, may be obtained at the Ticket Office, Bridge-street Terminus.

CHAS. A. GOODCHAP, Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Railways, Sydney,
21st August, 1888.

RANDWICK RACES.

TATTERSALL'S CLUB RACE MEETING, 25th AUGUST, 1888.

On the above date the fare by Special Trams to the Randwick Racecourse, for the whole of any portion of the journey, will be One Shilling.

Special attention is drawn to the fact that on the above-mentioned date the Randwick and Coogee trams will not stop at the Racecourse platform on either the up or down journeys between the hours of 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.

CHAS. A. GOODCHAP, Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Public Instruction, Sydney,
22nd August, 1888.

TENDERS FOR WORKS IN CONNECTION WITH PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

TENDERS will be received at this Office for the works specified in the Schedule hereunder, up to 10 o'clock a.m., on the various dates set forth in the second column.

Tenders are to be addressed to the Under-Secretary, Department of Public Instruction, Sydney, and endorsed "Tender for*"

JAMES INGLIS.

* Here insert the name of the School, and the work to which the Tender relates.

Description of Work Tendered for.	Date up to which Tender will be received.	Where Plans and Specifications may be seen, and Forms of Tender obtained.
Balgownie, near Wollongong, Brick School Buildings and Residence.	September 12, 1888	Department of Public Instruction, and Public School, Wollongong.
Robbinsville, near Bulli, Brick School Buildings and Residence.	September 12, 1888	Department of Public Instruction, and Public School, Bulli.

Department of Public Works,
Sydney, August 24, 1888.

TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND SUPPLIES.

For conditions see Government Gazette.

Nature of Works and Supplies.	Dates to which Tenders can be received at this office.
Repairs, Parliamentary Buildings, Sydney Supply of 35,000 Bricks, delivered at Honeysuckle Point Workshop Yard Erection of Stables, &c., Police Station, Newtown Collection and Delivery of Parcels, &c., at Bathurst, in connection with Railway Department Annual Stores, Railway Department, during year 1889. Particulars in schedule signed by Commissioner. A deposit must accompany each tender for these stores Construction, &c., of Iron Service Reservoir at Albury Repairs, &c., Post and Telegraph Office, Gundagai (fresh tenders) Repairs to Fencing, &c., Public Buildings, Cootamundra Erection of Residence for Officer in Charge at Carlton, Illawarra Railway Supply at Darling Harbour ten tons Ingot Copper	Wednesday, Aug. 29, at 11 o'clock.
Additions, Lockup, Narrandera Gates, Piers, &c., Garden Palace Grounds (fresh tenders) Repairs, &c., Courthouse, Muswellbrook Supply on the Mudgee Railway Line of 2000 cubic yards of Hardstone Ballast Additions, &c., Callan Park Asylum Erection of Gates, Tar Paving, &c., Water Police Court (fresh tender) Alterations, &c., Passenger Station, at Orange Supply at Redfern Railway Station of 900 sup. feet of Flagging Supply at Wingello Railway Station of 1000 Ironbark Posts Supply, &c., of 6000 Ironbark Sleepers at Boggabri, Turrawan, or Narrabri Supply of 4000 Ironbark Sleepers, Bullock Island Wharf or Honeysuckle Point Supply and Erection of 4 miles Steel Fencing Wire, G. N. Railway Supply at Strathfield Railway Station, 140,000 Bricks	Wednesday, Sept. 5, at 11 o'clock.
Repairs, &c., Post and Telegraph Office, Sofala Laying Pipe Sewer, Elizabeth-street, Redfern—Contract 38, Sydney Sewerage Construction of Wharf, &c., Boat Harbour, Wilson's Creek, Richmond River Construction of Wharf, &c., at Pemberton's, Upper Mangrove Creek, Hawkesbury River	Wednesday, Sept. 12, at 11 o'clock.
Repairs, Post Office, Wilcannia	Wednesday, September 19, at 11 o'clock.
Supply of Steel Pipes, &c., North Shore Water Supply, Cont. 58	Wednesday, Oct. 31, at 11 o'clock.
Supply, &c., of Pumping Engines, North Shore Water Supply—Cont. 56	Wednesday, Dec. 19, at 11 o'clock.

JOHN SUTHERLAND.

Roads Department, Sewerage Branch,
Sydney, 22nd August, 1888.

TENDERS.

ATTENTION is directed to Gazette notice inviting TENDERS for the undermentioned work, viz.:—

	Time for Receipt of Tenders.
Construction of Stoneware Pipe Sewer in Elizabeth-street, Redfern—Contract No. 38, Sydney Sewerage Works.	12th September.

JOHN SUTHERLAND.

Public Works Department,
Roads Branch.

TENDERS are invited up to noon on the 4th September, 1888, for Forming and Metalling on road Hornsby to Parramatta, approach to Merrylands station, and Fencing approach to Duck River Bridge, main Western-road.

Specification at Court-house, Parramatta, where tenders are to be delivered to Clerk of Petty Sessions.

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SEEDS, Plants, Bulbs, and beautiful Flowers.—The best at Searl and Sons', nurserymen, &c., 107, King-street.

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Molasses, Treacle, Golden Syrup, Honey, in bulk; and Box Teas, &c.

On SALE, by ANDERSON and FOSTER, 246 and 248, Sussex-street.

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FOX BROS., 238, Pitt-street.—Small Corrugated Iron curved any shape for verandahs or roofs.

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Chandeliers and Gas Brackets in great variety
Black and Galvanised Tubes and Fittings, Tin and Compo Pipe
Enamelled and Japanned Cast-iron Baths and Sinks
Corrugated Galvanised Iron, 5ft. to 10ft. lengths
Plain Galvanised Iron, 20 to 28 gauges, all widths
Gutter Downpipe Ridgecap, at greatly reduced prices
Plumbers' and Gasfitters' material of every kind.

MANTELPIECES, in Marble, Slate, and Stone, at reduced prices; Marble Hearths and Fenders; Marble and Slate Baths and Slop Sinks; Slate Treads, Hearths, Borderings, &c.; Sicilian Slabs polished.
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DRAIN PIPES, all sizes, Garden Tiles, &c., cheap. M. J. Conlon's Pottery, Broughton-street, Glebe.

THE STANDSURE BRICK COMPANY, Limited.—Best Machine and Fancy Bricks. 70, Pitt-street, Sydney.

FOR SALE, lot of FIXTURES and Fittings, Showcase, &c. Saywell's Tobacco Co., 237-9, Clarence-street.

TROTTING and GALLOPING RACES at Agricultural Grounds, Moore Park, WEDNESDAY NEXT. Admission, 1s.

Public Notices.

Sydney, 13th August, 1888.

DEAR SIR,—A movement has been initiated by Mr. Quong Tart and others with a view to giving Annual Feasts and Entertainments to the inmates of the Destitute Asylums at Parramatta, Liverpool, and Newington, &c., towards which laudable object your kind aid and sympathy are most respectfully solicited. Any donation you may generously feel disposed to give towards this object will be duly applied to the purpose named, and will be thankfully received by any of the following gentlemen:—

HUGH TAYLOR, Esq., M.L.A., Chairman.
Hon. Treasurers { QUONG TART, Esq. / HUGH TAYLOR, Esq., M.L.A.
Hon. Secretaries { A. L. NELSON, Esq., J.P. / ROBERT GUY, J.P. / A. C. HEWLETT, J.P.

Under the patronage of
His Excellency the Right Hon. LORD CARRINGTON, P.C., G.C.M.G., and the Hon. LADY CARRINGTON.

The movement has the approval and support of—

The Hon. Sir Alfred Stephen, G.C.M.G., Lieut.-Governor	The Hon. J. H. Want
The Hon. Sir Henry Parkes, G.C.M.G., Colonial Secretary and Premier	The Hon. Edmund Barton, M.L.C., and Mrs. Barton
The Hon. Sir Frederick Darley, Chief Justice, and Lady Darley	The Hon. W. J. Trickett, M.L.C., and Mrs. Trickett
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The Hon. Sir John Hay and Lady Hay	James Fletcher, Esq., M.L.A., and Mrs. Fletcher
The Hon. Sir William Manning and Lady Manning	W. J. Lyne, Esq., M.L.A.
The Hon. Sir John Robertson and Lady Robertson	G. R. Dibbs, Esq., M.L.A.
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The Hon. John Sutherland, Minister for Works	Alderman Thomas Playfair, Esq., J.P.
The Hon. W. Clarke, Minister for Justice	Walter Bradley, Esq.
The Hon. F. Abigail, Minister for Mines	Dr. Tarrant and Mrs. Tarrant
The Hon. J. F. Burns, Colonial Treasurer	Alderman Samuel E. Lees, M.L.A., and Mrs. Lees
The Hon. J. Inglis, Minister for Education	C. A. Goodchap, Esq., Commissioner for Railways
The Hon. C. J. Roberts, Postmaster-General	Charles Cowper, Esq., Sheriff
The Hon. G. B. Simpson, Attorney-General	The Primate and Lady Barry
His Honor Mr. Justice Windeyer	The Rev. Dr. Steel
His Honor Mr. Justice Foster	The Rev James Jefferis, LL.D.
His Honor Mr. Justice Owen	The Rev. Dr. Kelynack
	The Very Rev. Dean Sheridan, V.G.
	The Rev. Rabbi Davis
	The Rev. Walter Matheson, M.A.
	The Rev. R. Sellors
	The Rev. Dr. O'Haran
	The Rev. John Ross
	The Rev. A. Burdett

and a large number of other influential citizens.

The Feasts will take place on—September 21st, Vernon Boys; September 29th, Liverpool; October 6th, Newington; October 13th, George-street, Parramatta; October 20th, Macquarie-street, Parramatta; October 27th, Industrial School, Parramatta; November 3rd, Windsor Hospital.

THE HAYNES-FLETCHER TRIAL.

The Plaintiff,
Mr. JOHN HAYNES, M.P.,
having become liable for the whole of the COSTS in this case,
SUBSCRIPTIONS towards defraying the same will be thankfully received and duly acknowledged.

DAVID RICHARDS,
241, Castlereagh-street, Sydney. Secretary.

REWARD to any person or persons giving such information about anyone using my registered patterns that I can prosecute. L. Winter, modeller, Harris-street.

IF H. STEWART does not communicate with Mrs. BARKER, Charles-street, Petersham, the empty Butter Kegs, Cases, &c., left on her Premises will be sold September 5, 1888. ELIZABETH BARKER, Petersham. August 24, 1888.

NOTICE.—If JAS. M'GREGOR, Mason, does not proceed with stonework, Arncliffe, at once, I will do it at his risk and expense.

GEORGE TUCKER, Waterloo.

Furniture.

PURCHASE YOUR FURNITURE
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THE ROYAL FURNISHING ARCADE
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If you require a
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We can show you to-day
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Where can you see such an assortment?
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which will be replete with every household requisite.
In this department we are making special preparations for the SUMMER SEASON.
We are now preparing for
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IN OUR VARIOUS EXTENSIVE SHOWROOMS
we have an immense stock of
DRAWING-ROOM FURNITURE,
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KITCHEN FURNITURE,
Perambulators, Kitchen Utensils of every description
Crockery and Glass Ware, E. P. Ware and Cutlery
Carpets, Linoleums, Oilcloth, Mattings, Blinds Venetian and Holland
Cornice Poles, Curtains, Table Covers, Blankets
Bed Linen and Furnishing Drapery of every description,
ALL AT DISSOLUTION PRICES.

If unable to pay us a personal visit write for our descriptive Illustrated Economical House Furnishing Guide and Credit Terms.

CAMPBELL BROTHERS,
ROYAL FURNISHING ARCADE,
426, George-street, near Royal Hotel.

FURNITURE.—Purchase at The Globe Furniture Arcade, 525, George-street, Brickfield-hill.

FURNITURE under our new hire system. The Globe Furniture Arcade, 525, George-street, Brickfield-hill.

FURNITURE.—The largest Stock in the Colonies at The Globe Furniture Arcade, 525, George-st., Brickfield-hill.

FIVE thousand CHAIRS for HIRE. The Globe Furniture Arcade, 525, George-street, Brickfield-hill.

SMALL BILLIARD TABLE for SALE; must be sold. J. B. Bassetti, Solferino Hotel, Sutherland-st., Paddington.

A BARGAIN, the FURNITURE of a 5-roomed House, all first-class; must be sold, as owner is giving up housekeeping. Apply J. GODWIN and CO., Junction-street, or private residence, Berry-street West, St. Leonards. Cash or terms.

FURNITURE.—£5 worth, 10s down, 5s weekly; single Bedsteads 7s 6d, double iron Bedsteads 9s 6d. Forssberg.

FURNITURE.—£10 worth, £1 down, 7s 6d weekly; Tables 6s 6d, Chairs 2s 3d, Safes 8s. Forssberg, 66, Will'm-st.

FURNITURE.—£15 worth, £2 down, 10s weekly; Drawers 30s, Washstands 7s 6d. Crockery and Holloware kept.

FURNITURE.—£20 worth, £3 down, 10s weekly, no security required, no publicity. Open Evenings till 9 o'clock.

FURNITURE.—£50 worth, £7 down, 15s weekly; large and varied Stock kept. Forssberg, 66, William-street.

WANTED to Purchase, second-hand PIER-GLASS, about 4ft. high, shelves, &c., cheap. Mirror, Herald.

Machinery.

JAMES DUNN and CO. have for SALE—Screwing-Machines, Screw-Cutting Lathe (9in.), Weighbrige (4-ton Avery), Derrick Cranes, Steam Crane, Brick-making Machine, Stamper Battery, Hoisting Drum, Rock Drill.

WANTED, secondhand Printing PRESSES; state size, make, and price. Wimble and Co., 87, Clarence-st.

BOILERS.—Wanted, a new or secondhand Multitubular BOILER of not less than 35 h.p., working pressure not less than 80lb. Particulars to the Secretary, Australian Alum Company, Limited, Bond-street.

FOR SALE, cheap, a 6-h.p. Hoisting ENGINE, by Shanks; also a 4in. Steam WINCH, by Tangye; also, a complete Block-laying PLANT, Tar Boilers, Pans, &c., &c. Apply

ANGUS and CO.,
84, Elizabeth-street.

COPPER STILLS, Condensers, Jacketed Pans, Hot Water Apparatus; Coppersmith, Brassfounder, Plumber, licensed for water and gas. W. ROBISON, 67, Sussex-street, 5 doors from Erskine-street.

BULLIVANT'S Best Flexible Steel-wire ROPE, ⅛in. up to 4in, ex Massilia. Mitchell and Co., Macquarie-place.

CAMMELL'S, Bessemer, and Cast-steel Bars. Indents received by James Brown, 121, Bathurst-street.

THE INDIARUBBA, GUTTAPERCHA, and TELEGRAPH WORKS CO., Limited, Silvertown, London.—Every description of BEST QUALITY RUBBER GOODS on hand.

ARTHUR S. SEARLE,
Sole Agent for N. S. W.,
26, Hunter-street, Sydney.

THE UNION OILS are the best and most perfect Lubricants; pure Hydro-Carbon and Gas Engine Oils. ARTHUR S. SEARLE, Sole Agent for N. S. W., 26, Hunter-street, Sydney.

WANTED to Purchase five (5) or seven (7) ton Steam CRANE, complete, new or second-hand; also 9 x 9 and 9 x 3 Oregon Gantry Timbers. Apply, stating price, to Box 409, G. P. O.

UNIVERSAL WOOD WORKER for SALE, cheap; all description of Sawmill and Flourmill Machinery.
T. ROBINSON and SON, Limited,
280, Sussex-street.

FOR SALE, cheap, 2½ h.p. Gas ENGINE; can be seen at work. Booth, Colley, and Co., 155, York-street.

CITY IRON WORKS, Pyrmont.—BROWN and BROWN, Manufacturers of Bar, Angle and Tee Iron. Colliery Rails and Screen Bars cut to any length. Crank and Jinker Axles made to any size. Bolts, Nuts, and Rivets a speciality.

TO FRUIT PRESERVERS, &c.—For SALE, large Stamping PRESS and Dies, cheap. Tighe, 119, Eliz.-st.

FOR SALE, a large number of INJECTORS, Giffard's pattern, all sizes, cheap.

MILNE BROS.,
162A, Sussex-street.

BOILER for SALE, tubular, 16-h.p., cheap. M. J. Conlon's Pottery, Broughton-street, Glebe.

STONEBREAKER for SALE, splendid order; also Iron Saw Bench. W. H. Cook, 225, Elizabeth-street.

FOR SALE, Continuous Ammonia Ice MACHINE, suitable for country hotel or hospital, capable of making 100lb. every eight hours. HOWE and ROSE, Engineers, Botany-street, Redfern.

FOR SALE, cheap, 3 and 5-ton CRANES, in good working order. C. Mayes, Public Library.

Tenders.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE
of
DYASON BROTHERS,
Jam Manufacturers,
Darlington, Sydney.

TENDERS are invited in the above Estate for the Stock-in-trade, Machinery, and Plant, Horses, Carts, Office Furniture, Fixtures, Fittings, &c., together with the Manufactory, and will be received up to noon of TUESDAY, the 28th August, 1888.

LOT 1.
STOCK-IN-TRADE, viz.:—

	£	s.	d.
8468 dozen manufactured Jam, in 1lb. tins	1229	14	0
544 ditto ditto ditto, in 2lb. tins	163	4	0
4480lb. ditto ditto, in 20lb. tins	56	0	0
1440 boxes Coke Plates	1170	0	0
941 ditto Charcoal ditto	964	10	6
97 ditto Steel ditto	97	0	0
71 bars Pig Lead	63	18	0
54,992lb. Dates	515	11	0
102,282lb. Pulp Fruit	906	13	6
51,520lb. ditto (in bond)	296	11	0
38 tons Sugar	931	18	4
7 tons ditto (in bond)	119	0	0
1250 dozen Cordials	474	15	0
3,677,000 Labels	1645	11	9
Jam Tins and Sundries	964	3	7
	£9598	10	8

LOT 2.
MANUFACTORY and OUTBUILDINGS,
consisting of a Brick Building of two stories, having frontage of 180ft. to Golden Grove-st. by a depth of 105ft. to a lane; large Galvanised Boiling House, Store, &c.; 5-stall Stable, Cottage, and Outhouses, the whole connected with main sewer.

PLANT, MACHINERY, &c., viz.:

	£	s.	d.
Fixed Plant and Machinery, consisting of an 18-h.p. Cornish Boiler, 8 Steam Jacketed Copper Jam Pans, Set of Iron Frame Valves, Fittings (all complete), Hoist (worked by steam), 4-h.p. Engine, Shafting, Belting, Pulleys, &c.	1372	5	5
Tangye Engine	50	0	0
8 Cutting Machines, &c.	103	0	0
2 Horses	50	0	0
2 Carts and Harness	40	0	0
2 Sets Lorry Harness	10	0	0
4 Power Presses	130	0	0
10 Dies	67	0	0
10 Small Bench Dbb. Seamers	187	10	0
Office Furniture	58	15	0
Sundries	353	12	6
Actual Cost	£2422	2	11

The Trustees do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any tender.

Tenders to be accompanied by a deposit of 10 per cent.

Stock Sheets can be seen, and all information obtained, on application to

STARKEY and TAYLOR,
Chartered Accountants,
115, York-street.

Sydney, 11th August, 1888.

MUNICIPALITY OF BLAYNEY.

TENDERS are hereby called from representatives of responsible and approved Electric Lighting Companies for the Installation of Fifty (50) Incandescent Electric Lamps in Blayney, of 25 or 30 c.-p. (optional); the Installation to be complete, and to consist of 15 Street-lamps and 35 ditto Branches in buildings.

Each Tender to state price—
No. 1. With engine provided, naming number of h.-p.,
and
No. 2. Without the above engine.
Length of Main Cable, 60 chains.
Engine and Dynamo to be nearly central.

The Contractor for the Installation will have to keep the Installation in good working order for the period of three months from completion.

All buildings to be provided by the Council.

Tenders to reach the Council-chambers, Blayney, addressed to the Mayor, by 5 a.m. mail train, THURSDAY, August 30, 1888.

JACOB RUSSART, Mayor.

Town-hall, Blayney,
August 22, 1888.

NATIONAL PARK.

TO CATERERS AND OTHERS.

TENDERS will be received up to noon on MONDAY, 10th September, 1888, from persons desirous of Renting the Weatherboard Building, known as the Lower Pavilion, and the Weatherboard Cottage at present used as a caretaker's residence, the Coach-house, Stable, Fowlhouse, and Boathouse at Audley, near Loftus Railway Terminus, National Park.

Also for the Right of Letting on Hire, Boats, the property of the Park Trust.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Tenders should be addressed to the Trustees of the National Park, No. 3, O'Connell-street, Sydney, and be endorsed "Tender for renting pavilion, &c."

For further information apply to Mr. MALONEY, National Park Office, No. 3, O'Connell-street, Sydney.

W. FREEMAN.

NEW SOUTH WALES INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB AND THE BLIND, Newtown-road.

TO TAR-PAVERS AND OTHERS.

TENDERS are invited until September 1 for FORMING and TAR-PAVING ROADS, &c. Plans and full particulars may be obtained at the office of the Architects, 250, Pitt-street.

A. L. and G. M'CREDIE,
Architects and Consulting Engineers.

PICTURE FRAMERS. — TENDERS wanted for Framing Pictures. Address for particulars to Box No. 1, General Post Office.

TENDERS.

ASSOCIATION CRICKET GROUND.

TENDERS FOR PAVILION AND GRAND STAND BARS.

SEPARATE TENDERS are invited for the PURCHASE of the RIGHT to SELL LIQUORS for a period of 12 months from the 1st of OCTOBER Next, at the following BARS, viz.:—

1. At the BAR of the MEMBERS' PAVILION.
2. At the BAR under the GRAND STAND; also, the RIGHT to the SMOKING RESERVE BAR.
3. The RIGHT to Supply Tea, Coffee, &c., &c., and Refreshments (other than wines and spirits) at the LADIES' PAVILION.

TENDERS (sealed) to be forwarded on or before SATURDAY, 15th September next, to the undersigned, from whom schedules of prices to be charged at the bars, and all other particulars, may be obtained. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. By order of the trustees.

S. H. FAIRLAND,
Secretary A. C. Ground.

Office, 99, Elizabeth-street.

THE AUSTRALIAN WATER AND MINERAL BORING COMPANY, Limited.

TENDERS are invited for the Manufacture of Tools and supply of Material for five complete Boring Plants. Full particulars and copy of specifications may be seen at the office of the undersigned.

Tenders will be received up to Noon on Wednesday, September 12.

The lowest or any other tender not necessarily accepted.

By order of the Board,
G. S. BUSACOTT, Secretary.

Post Office-chambers, Sydney,
August 20, 1888.

TO BRICKMAKERS.

TENDERS are invited for the Making and Delivering on the site, which is half-a-mile from the KINGSWOOD RAILWAY STATION (Cross-road, near Penrith), 100,000 BRICKS.

Specification and full particulars of same may be had on application to the undersigned, to whom tenders are to be delivered on or before Wednesday, August 29, 12 o'clock noon.

SHEERIN and HENNESSY,
Architects,
City-chambers,
243, Pitt-street.

TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS are invited for the Erection and Completion of Additions and Alterations to FINBAR, NORTH SHORE.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the undersigned, to whom tenders are to be delivered on or before Monday, September 2, at 12 o'clock noon.

SHEERIN and HENNESSY,
Architects,
City-chambers,
243, Pitt-street.

TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the Erection and Completion of GRAND STAND, with LUNCHEON ROOM, BARS, &c., and OFFICIAL BUILDINGS, for the PROPRIETORS of the WARWICK FARM RACING CLUB, LIVERPOOL.

Builders desirous of tendering will oblige by forwarding name and address to the undersigned.

JOHN B. SPENCER,
Architect and Quantity Surveyor,
Post Office-chambers,
Pitt-street.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS for the following works to be delivered at the offices of the undersigned at noon.

No. 1. Residence, STRATHFIELD, AUGUST 30.
No. 2. Residence, STRATHFIELD, AUGUST 29.
No. 3. Residence, BURWOOD, AUGUST 29.
Residence, RANDWICK, AUGUST 28.
Rebuilding, 278, GEORGE-STREET, AUGUST 28.

JOHN B. SPENCER,
Architect and Quantity Surveyor,
Post Office-chambers, Pitt-street.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

Mr. DANIEL KENT'S TENDER has been ACCEPTED for TERRACE OF HOUSES, REDFERN, for CENTENNIAL INVESTMENT LAND AND BUILDING COMPANY.

JOHN B. SPENCER,
Architect and Quantity Surveyor,
Post Office-chambers, Pitt-street.

88-04 Town Clerk's Office, Sydney,
August 25, 1888.

TO BUILDERS, &c.

TENDERS will be received at this Office until 12 o'clock on MONDAY, the 10th September, for the erection of a New Wharf at the foot of King-street.

Plans and amended specification may be seen at the office of the City Surveyor.

HENRY J. DANIELS,
Town Clerk.

TENDERS are invited for the Erection of Family Hotel, corner of Glebe-road.

Each tender to be in one sum for the whole of the proposed works.

Drawings and specifications may be inspected at the Office of the Architect, to whom endorsed tenders are to be sent not later than September 10.

M. C. DAY, Architect.

Norwich-chambers,
Hunter-street.

TO CONTRACTORS.—TENDERS are invited for Church of England, Kurragong.
To close MONDAY, September 3.
For particulars apply

ARTHUR BLACKET,
Architect,
Bond-street.

TO BUILDERS.—We are delivering our LIME at £1 10s per ton. Anchor, Gostling's, British Lion, and other brands Cement, Plaster, Laths, Hair, &c., at lowest prices. CULLEN BULLEN LIME CO., Limited, 347 and 349, Sussex-street.

TO PAINTERS.

TENDERS required by 29th instant, for Painting two Houses at Manly.

Specifications to be seen at Bayview House, Eustace-street.

D. W. RYAN,
Architect,
141, Pitt-street.

TENDER required for the Supply of Hauling Engine.—One single h. p. Horizontal Engine, 14in. diameter, cylinder, 2ft. 4in. stroke, geared 1 to 3 into drum, 4ft. 6in. diameter by 2ft. wide, drum to be loose and fitted with clutch. Or one with 2 cylinders, 12in. diameter and 24in. stroke; dip pump; one Tangye pump, 8in. steam cylinder, 3in. bucket; boiler, feed pump; and Tangye pump, 6in. cylinder, 8in. bucket. Address HASSELL and WOODHOUSE, Secretaries, the South Greta Coal Co.

TO CONTRACTORS.—TENDERS are invited for Additions to the Presbyterian Church, Burwood.
To close MONDAY, September 3.
For particulars apply to

ARTHUR BLACKET,
Architect,
Bond-street.

TO ASPHALTERS, TAN - PAVERS, &c.—TENDERS are invited up to MONDAY, 27th August, for Asphalting Footpath in front of Nos. 15 to 23 (inclusive), Margaret-street.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Tenders to be sent to

JAMES C. TAYLOR, Accountant,
99, Pitt-street.

TO BUILDERS and CONTRACTORS.—Contractors Tendering for Captain Turner's VILLA, Hunter's Hill, are reminded that the TIME has been EXTENDED to September 1.

A. L. and G. M'CREDIE,
Architects and Consulting Engineers,
250, Pitt-street.

TO PILE DRIVERS AND WHARF BUILDERS.

TENDERS are invited until September 1 for the Erection and Completion of WHARF and JETTIES, &c., for the C. and R. R. S. N. Company, Limited. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Architects, 250, Pitt-street.

A. L. and G. M'CREDIE,
Architects and Consulting Engineers.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned until MONDAY NEXT, 27th August, at noon, for the Purchase of Flooring and Joists of the Skating Rink at the Sydney Bathing Company's premises in Pitt-street; size, 116ft. x 56ft.; to be removed in four days.

C. T. BURFITT, 418, George-street.

TENDERS, Brickwork, labour only, of Villa, situated at Ashfield; also to sink Tank. Apply

M. KENSIT, Gerald-street,
Marrickville-road, near Station.

TENDERS wanted to purchase five (5) or seven (7) ton Steam CRANE, complete, new or second-hand; also, 9 x 9, and 9 x 3 Oregon Gantry Timbers. Apply, stating price, to Box 409, G. P. O.

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M. KENSIT, Gerald-street,
Marrickville-road, near station.

TENDERS are invited for a lease for two years, from 1st October next, of large Shop and Dwelling in the best part of Oxford-street. For further particulars apply Oxford Stables, Riley and Goulburn streets.

TO BRICKLAYERS and Carpenters.—TENDERS are invited for the Erection of a 6-roomed House, the whole or separate, for V. Farran. Plan and specification at corner Queen and Denison streets, Woollahra.

TO BUILDERS, &c.—TENDERS invited for 2 or 3 years' lease of 3½ acres, with frontage to Cup and Saucer Creek, Canterbury, with right of removing sand (best quality). A. J. C., Herald Branch Office, 136, King-street.

TO CARVERS.—Wanted, TENDERS for Carving required to new Daily Telegraph Offices, King-street. Apply on the job,

J. C. HARRISON and SON, Contractors.

TO CONTRACTORS.—W. H. LEGGO'S TENDER has been accepted for Alterations to House in Bay-street.

T. W. HODGSON, Architect,
Mount-street, St. Leonards.

TO LICENSED DRAINERS.

TENDERS required for Draining new Daily Telegraph Offices, King-street. Labour only.

TO LET, by tender, HYDE PARK LIVERY STABLES, corner Bathurst and Castlereagh streets. Open till Saturday, 25th instant. For particulars, apply

D. SALTWELL, 227, Elizabeth-street.

TENDERS required for Fencing Paddock, Waverley, 5-barbed Wires. Land Co. of Australasia, 278, Pitt-street.

TENDERS wanted Hire 100 Skates, one day only. Frank Thompson, Chowder Office, Circular Quay.

TENDERS for Tuck-pointing. S. Jackson, Croydon Park, Croydon, near Public School.

TENDERS for Bricklaying, Stables, &c., labour only, job Parramatta. Apply 611, Darling-road, Balmain.

TENDERS for 25,000 Bricks, job George-street, Parramatta. Apply Porter, 611, Darling-road, Balmain.

TENDERS wanted for Brickwork, labour only. J. Darby, builder, Knight-street, Macdonaldtown.

TENDERS wanted for Slating, labour only. J. Darby, builder, Knight-street, Macdonaldtown.

TENDERS for Tuckpointing at Dr. Lamrock's job, Kogarah.

TENDERS given for Mantelpieces, Mouldings, Spiral Newels, Balusters, &c. Buchanan, 446, Elizabeth-st.

TENDERS wanted for Brickwork, labour only, North Willoughby. Apply Forest Lodge Hotel, Forest Lodge.

TENDERS wanted, Register Grates and Mantelpieces, 2 cottages, Regent-street, Summer Hill, Hy. Dalton.

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A large and choice stock of patterns always on hand. Estimates given, and indents carefully attended to.

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Public Notices.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

ACCOUNTS, with plans of distribution, in the undermentioned Estates, showing dividends as specified, are now filed in the Office of the Registrar in Bankruptcy, Chancery-square, Sydney, for the inspection of persons interested. And Notice is hereby given that such accounts and plans will be submitted to the Court for confirmation on THURSDAY, the 6th September, 1888, at 11 a.m., if not previously objected to :—

WILLIAM LEGGE, of 487, George-street, Sydney, Tailor (No. 232).—A first account and plan showing a dividend of 2s 2½d (two shillings and two pence halfpenny) per £ on proved concurrent debts.

GEORGE KELLY and JOHN GODDARD, trading as "Kelly and Goddard," of Harold-street, Macdonaldtown, Builders and Contractors (No. 267).—A first account and plan showing a dividend of 2s 16-17d (two shillings and sixteen-seventeenths of a penny) per £ on proved concurrent debts.

THOMAS HEALEY, of Kiama, Boarding-house Keeper (No. 208).—A first account and plan showing payment in full of one preferential claim for rent (viz., £7 10s) and a dividend of 12s 1 1-5d (twelve shilling and one penny and one-fifth of a penny) per pound on proved concurrent debts.

LEWIS SAMPSON, of 244, Elizabeth-street, Sydney (No. 14).—A first account and plan showing payment in full of one preferential claim for rent (viz., £10), and a dividend of 8d (eight pence) per £ on proved concurrent debts.

WILLIAM ATHENRY WHYTE (deceased), late of Darlington, Clergyman (No. 215).—A first account and plan, showing payment in full of one preferential claim for rent (viz., £9 18s), and a dividend of 2s 8¾d (two shillings and eightpence three farthings) per £ on proved concurrent debts.

WILLIAM HUMPHREYS, of Glen-street, North Shore (No. 83).—A first account and plan showing a dividend of 1s 9d (one shilling and ninepence) per £ on proved concurrent debts.

MICHAEL GALLAGHER, of Hopefield (No. 117).—A first account and plan showing a dividend of 1s 8⅛d (one shilling and eightpence and one-eighth of a penny) per £ on proved concurrent debts.

JOSEPH BODGE, of Bogo Bogolong, near Grenfell (No. 244).—A first account and plan showing a dividend of 5s 4 5-9d (five shillings and fourpence and five-ninths of a penny) per £ on proved concurrent debts.

PRIOR MOORE, of Cootamundra, Storekeeper (No. 343).—A first account and plan showing payment in full of one preferential claim for rent (viz., £7 4s) and a dividend of 7s 0⅞d (seven shillings and seven-eighths of a penny) per £ on proved concurrent debts.

LANCELOT T. LLOYD,
Official Assignee.

25, Denman-chambers, Phillip-street,
Sydney, August 20, 1888.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
In Insolvency and Bankruptcy.—No. 18,015.
In the Insolvent Estate of JOHN PRENDERGAST, of Sydney, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given that this Honorable Court will be moved on THURSDAY, the sixth day of September, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon, or so soon thereafter as counsel can be heard in that behalf, that the estate of the abovenamed Insolvent may be released from sequestration upon the grounds stated and set forth in the affidavit of the said Insolvent, sworn on the twenty-first day of August, and filed this day in support of the said motion.

Dated this twenty-third day of August, A.D. 1888.
ALFRED WOODWARD NATHAN,
Attorney for the said Insolvent,
O'Connell-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction.

In the Will of ROBERT HENRY DADE, late of Westmoreland-street, Forest Lodge, near Sydney, Plasterer, deceased.

PURSUANT to the Trust Property Act of 1862, notice is hereby given that all Creditors and other persons having any claims upon or being otherwise interested in the estate of the abovenamed deceased (who died at Forest Lodge, near Sydney, aforesaid, on the thirtieth day of April last past), are hereby required to send in full particulars of their claims to the undersigned, the Proctor for the Executor of the Will of the said deceased, before the twenty-second day of September next, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and the said executor shall not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this tenth day of August, 1888.
JOSEPH THOMPSON,
Proctor for the Executor,
Vickery's-chambers, Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction.

In the Will of ALEXANDER M'KENZIE, late of Eurelia, but at the time of his death of Orroroo, in the province of South Australia, gentleman, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that after the expiration of fourteen days from the publication hereof in the New South Wales Government Gazette application will be made to this honourable Court, in its Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction, that Probate of the Will (exemplified copy) of the above-named deceased, who departed this life on or about the 12th day of July last past, may be granted to ALEXANDER HENDRY, of Eurelia aforesaid, farmer, the sole Executor named in the Will of the said deceased.

Dated this 24th day of August, in the year of our Lord 1888.
BRADLEY and SON,
Proctors for Applicant,
58, Margaret-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction.

In the Intestate Estate of JOHN EDWARD ROCHESTER, late of Goulburn, deceased.

CREDITORS are to forward to me (through the Post Office if they think fit), at my office, Chancery square, Supreme Court Branch, Sydney, their claims for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the twenty-fifth day of September next, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this Estate.

Creditors may, however, if they prefer it, forward in the same way their claims to my Agent, W. CARSON, Esq., of Goulburn, so as to be received from him by me, for proof, by the time abovenamed.

THEO. POWELL,
Curator of Intestate Estates.

24th August, 1888.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction.

In the Intestate Estate of THOMAS LUMMERTON, late of the barque Ariadne, at Newcastle, deceased.

CREDITORS are to forward to me (through the Post Office if they think fit), at my Office, Chancery-square, Supreme Court Branch, Sydney, their claims for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the twenty-fifth day of September next, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this Estate.

Creditors may, however, if they prefer it, forward in the same way their claims to my Agent, RICHARD B. HAYS, Esq., of Newcastle, so as to be received from him by me, for proof, by the time above named.

THEO. POWELL,
Curator of Intestate Estates.

August 24, 1888.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction.

In the Intestate Estate of CHARLES GARDINER, late of Sydney Hospital, seaman, deceased.

CREDITORS are to forward to me (through the Post Office if they think fit), at my office, Chancery-square, Supreme Court branch, Sydney, their claims for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the seventh day of September next, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this estate.

THEO. POWELL,
Curator of Intestate Estates.

24th August, 1888.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction.

In the Lands, Goods, Chattels, Credits, and Effects of JOHN CAMPBELL, late of Bourke-street, Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Licensed Victualler, deceased intestate.

PURSUANT to the Trust Property Act of 1862, Notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the abovenamed estate are hereby required to send in full particulars thereof to the Administratrix, WINIFRED CAMPBELL, addressed to the office of the undersigned, on or before the first day of October now next, at the expiration of which time the said Administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets in the estate of the said John Campbell, deceased, among the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the debts and claims only of which the said Administratrix shall then have had notice, and the said Administratrix will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt she shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated at Sydney this 24th day of August, A.D. 1888.
JAMES MICHAEL CURTIS,
Proctor for the said Administratrix,
151, Phillip-street, Sydney.

NOTICE under the TRUST PROPERTY ACT.

In the Will and Codicil of HENRY ALEXANDER RICHARDS, late of Condobolin, in the colony of New South Wales, Storekeeper, deceased.

PURSUANT to the Trust Property Act of 1862, Notice is hereby given that all Creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or affecting the Estate of the abovementioned Henry Alexander Richards, deceased, who died on the 3rd day of March, 1888, and Probate of whose Will and Codicil was granted by the Supreme Court of New South Wales, in its Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction, on the 16th day of May last past to THOMAS DAVIS, one of the Executors thereof, are hereby required to send in particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned, under cover to the Executor, on or before the 1st day of September next, after which date the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.

Dated this 27th day of July, A.D. 1888.
CHARLES CECIL READ, Proctor for the said Executor, 133, King-street, Sydney.

THE LAND GRANT RAILWAY COMPANY OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA, Limited (in Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that the Creditors of the abovenamed Company are required, on or before the 25th day of August, 1888, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their Debts or Claims, to the undersigned, FREDERICK PERCY FORD and ALEXANDER KEITH TROUP, of Beresford-chambers, Castlereagh-street, Sydney, the Liquidators of the said Company, and, if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidators, to verify such debts or claims by statutory declaration, or prove the same in such manner as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Dated this fourteenth day of July, 1888.
FORD and TROUP,
Liquidators.

Beresford-chambers, 52, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE of W. J. TWINE, 508, George-street.

A Second and Final DIVIDEND, at the rate of 6 15-16 of a penny in the £, in the above Estate, will be payable at the Offices of the undersigned on and after SATURDAY, the 25th instant. Promissory notes must be surrendered.

SCOULLER and ROBERTSON,
Accountants and Trade Assignees,
Wynyard-street.

Sydney, 24th August, 1888.

THE Undersigned requests that all ACCOUNTS against the late firm of THOMPSON, MAXWELL, and CO., Granville, be at once sent in to him for settlement.
H. A. THOMPSON, Wairoa, Double Bay.

GOUGH TOWN SUBDIVISION.—Owners who have not received Titles please confer at once with Mr. J. Miller, printer, 115, Clarence-street.

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96, Collins-street West, Melbourne.

JOHN MICHAEL NIEBEL, late of Randwick, deceased.—All persons having CLAIMS against this gentleman are requested to send particulars thereof at once, under cover, to the Executors, care of
JONES and JONES, Solicitors,
77, Pitt-street.

NOTICE.—This is to give notice that I will NOT be responsible for any GOODS purporting to be bought on my account by any person whatsoever, unless on printed slips provided for purpose, signed by me. A. GEDDES,
71, Regent-street, and Springvale, Botany.

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" "	£50 receive	...	46 13 4

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MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF LEICHHARDT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Municipal Council of Leichhardt intend, at the expiration of fourteen days from the date hereof, to BORROW the SUM of £10 000, at a rate of interest of 4½ per cent., which sum of £10 000 it is intended to expend upon permanent Works of the Municipality.

The said loan, together with the interest, will be payable at the Town Hall, Leichhardt, the principal 10 years from the date of borrowing; the interest half-yearly by cheque drawn by the said Council upon their Bank.

The Security for the said Loan shall be rates and other revenue of the Municipality, which now amount to £4967 per annum.

ALLAN M'GUIRE,
Council Clerk.

Council-chambers,
Leichhardt, August 22, 1888.

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Registered under the Companies' Act.

CAPITAL, £100,000, in 100,000 SHARES of £1 EACH.

OFFICES:
161, PITT-STREET, 1 door from General Post Office.

BRANCH OFFICE:
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BUILDING SOCIETY,
MORTGAGE, LAND, and FINANCIAL BUSINESS
of
EVERY DESCRIPTION TRANSACTED.

LOANS made on Security of Shares, Wool Crops, and Merchandise of all descriptions.

DEPOSITS RECEIVED TO ANY EXTENT.

Depositors for 12 months share in the Profits.

Interest allowed as under:—
For 12 months, 7 per cent. per annum.
For 6 months, 6 per cent. per annum.
At Call, 5 per cent. per annum.

F. W. MIDDLETON,
Managing Director.

AUSTRALIAN MORTGAGE, LAND, AND FINANCE COMPANY, Limited.

Incorporated 1863.

CAPITAL, £4,000,000.

Head Office—13, Leadenhall-street, London, E.C.
General Manager, E. M. Young.
Colonial Offices—Melbourne, Geelong, and Sydney.

AUSTRALIAN BOARD.
Sir James MacBain, M.L.C., Chairman.
John Russell Ross, Esq.
William Drysdale, Esq. (Inspector).

LOCAL BOARD OF ADVICE.
James Sutherland Mitchell, Esq.
Hon. Henry Carey Dangar, M.L.C.

The Company makes ADVANCES on PASTORAL PROPERTIES, Station Bills, and ensuing Clip of Wool, and acts in the capacity of Squatting Bankers and Agents.
W. A. COTTEE,
Manager.

2, Spring-street, Sydney.

THE NEW SOUTH WALES MORTGAGE, LOAN, AND AGENCY COMPANY, Limited

Capital, £1,000,000.

Directors:
Sir HENRY BARKLY, K.C.B., G.C.M.G.
Lord GEORGE G. CAMPBELL
JOHN HENDERSON, Esq., J.P.
ALEX. LAWRIE, Esq.
J. RAMSAY L'AMY, Esq., F.R.S.E.
ALEXANDER M'ARTHUR, Esq., M.P.
Local Directors:
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R. D. ADAMS, Esq.
GEORGE MUNRO, Esq.
W. E. WILSON, Esq.
Solicitors:
Messrs. ALLEN and ALLEN.

This Company advances on Freehold and Leasehold Estates, Stock, Station, and other properties.
Full particulars and forms of application can be obtained by applying to the Company.
Offices—7, Bent-street, Sydney.
C. M. BUCK, Secretary.

THE BURWOOD LAND, BUILDING, AND INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited.

OFFICES: 268, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY, adjoining Congregational Church.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL, £100,000.

Directors:
WILLIAM DEANE, Esq. | R. M. VAUGHN, Esq., M.L.A.
JAMES BRIERLY, Esq. | J. O. PHILLIPS, Esq.
JOHN BROWN, Esq., J.P. | PATRICK O'DOUD, Esq.
T. R. SMITH, Esq.

Deposits received and Interest allowed at the following rates:—

For 12 months	7 per cent.
For 6 months	6½ per cent.
Subject to three days' notice	6 per cent.

Special arrangements made for large sums.

SHARES, £1 EACH,
payable 2s 6d on application, and 6d per share per month.

Liberal Advances made on Freehold or Leasehold Property in the City or Suburbs.

Assistance given to build, and every description of building society business conducted on the most liberal terms.

Prospectuses and all particulars at the Company's offices.
S. PATRICK, Manager.

TO SHAREHOLDERS:
A dividend at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum has been declared for the half-year ending 30th June, and is now payable.

THE BRITISH and COLONIAL PROPERTY, FINANCE, and ASSURANCE COMPANY, Limited.

CAPITAL, £500,000.

Sydney Board of Directors:
SYDNEY BURDEKIN, Esq., M.P., Chairman
The Hon. JAMES INGLIS, M.P. (Minister for Education)
WILLIAM TROTTER, Esq. (Messrs. Henry Bull and Co.)
Res. Manager:
GEORGE H. HOLLAND.

Melbourne Board of Directors:
The Hon. JAMES WILLIAMSON, M.L.C., Chairman
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Manager:
H. KEATE HALL.

Offices: 21, MARKET-BUILDINGS, MARKET-STREET, MELBOURNE.

THIS COMPANY IS PREPARED
To Transact Financial and Guarantee Business in all its branches
To Effect Fire and Marine Insurance at Lowest Current Rates
To Guarantee Mortgages, whereby, for a very small percentage, the mortgagee is guaranteed his principal and interest intact
To Discount Bills, Make Advances against Approved Securities, and
To Conduct Financial Business generally.

Country correspondence invited and promptly attended to.
AGENTS WANTED EVERYWHERE.
For further information, apply at the Offices,
27, O'CONNELL-STREET, SYDNEY.
GEORGE H. HOLLAND,
Res. Manager.

THE MORTGAGE GUARANTEE and MERCANTILE FINANCE CORPORATION OF NEW SOUTH WALES, Limited.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL ... £1,000,000.
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL ... 250,000.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: A. HOFFNUNG, Esq. (Chairman).
W. H. ARMSTRONG, Esq. | H. C. FRASER, Esq.
JOHN BEVERIDGE, Esq. | E. P. TRUMAN, Esq.
HON. GEORGE CAMPBELL, M.L.C.

This Corporation NEGOTIATES and GUARANTEES Mortgages, Municipal Loans and Debentures, and the punctual payment of interest thereon; also, Overdrafts and Discounts with Banks. It lends money upon open account, or arranges Loans for fixed periods. It makes advances to Owners of Properties during course of erection of buildings against Architects' Certificates.
It relieves Trustees of all liability in the investment of Trust Funds. It GUARANTEES COMPOSITIONS to CREDITORS.
It acts as Receiver or Trustee in Bankrupt or Assigned Estates.
It transacts the business of Accountants, Commission, Estate, General, and Financial Agents.
It NEGOTIATES the TRANSFER OF ACCOUNTS between Banks.
It acts as BROKER in arranging SYNDICATES and the floating of all kinds of PUBLIC COMPANIES.
It negotiates Financial Transactions between Country Residents and City Capitalists, and conducts Financial Business of every description. It has Corresponding Agents in all the principal towns of the colony. For further information apply to HENRY A. SHERIDAN, Manager, Union-chambers, 70, Pitt-st.

CITY and County, 25 Shares, paid-up, 9s; also 25, paid-up, 10s, for Sale. Apply Shares, Box 1382, G. P. O.

T. F. JACKSON, Estate and Financial Agent.—Loans upon Real Property negotiated. Union-chams., 70, Pitt-st.

TRUST FUNDS to LEND, suburban, best rates. A. W. Webster, agent, 450, Oxford-street, Paddington.

PERMANENT MUTUAL BENEFIT, BUILDING, and INVESTMENT SOCIETY.

Head Office:
313, GEORGE-STREET, SYDNEY.

The Oldest Established Building Society in New South Wales.

Chairman:
Mr. ALDERMAN CHAPMAN, M.P.

Directors:
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Advances made on approved City and Suburban Securities to any extent at Reduced Rates.

Full particulars may be had on application at the offices.
J. M. FOGARTY, Secretary.

THE ASSETS REALIZATION AND GENERAL FINANCE CO., Limited,
No. 6, Spring-street.

CAPITAL—Authorised, £200,000; Subscribed, £100,000.

DIRECTORS:
The Hon. S. A. Joseph, M.L.C., Chairman.
George Munro, Esq. | Rollo A. Cape, Esq.
T. Robert Allt, Esq. | James Plummer, Esq.
H. E. Russell, Esq., Managing Director.

This Company is prepared to consider proposals for:—
1. Purchasing Assets in Insolvent, Assigned, or any other Estates; interests of deceased persons, or any claims against such interests and assets.
2. Discounting Bills, making Advances against approved securities, assisting Purchasers of businesses or properties, affording accommodation to Traders requiring temporary assistance, and for bringing about re-adjustments of accounts between Debtors and Creditors.
3. Giving Guarantees for any of the above purposes, for the due payment of Interest on Loans, and of every other kind and description.

DEPOSITS taken at current rates for any period.
Solicitors, Accountants, Trustees, and Administrators will find this Company an advantageous medium for the prompt realisation of assets of every description.
Proposals will be promptly and equitably dealt with.
J. ROBERTS,
Secretary.

LAND COMPANY OF AUSTRALASIA, Limited.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL	£1,000,000
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL	400,000
PAID-UP CAPITAL	80,000
UNPAID CAPITAL and RESERVES	328,000

OFFICES:
SYDNEY ... 278, Pitt-street
LONDON ... 60, Queen Victoria-street, E.C.
MELBOURNE ... 48, Collins-street West.

MONEY RECEIVED ON FIXED DEPOSIT AND ON CALL AT CURRENT RATES. Interest allowed on the DAILY BALANCE of CURRENT ACCOUNT, which can be operated upon by cheques in the usual manner.

STATIONS, FARMS, HOUSES, BUILDING ALLOTMENTS, and BRICKS, for SALE.
PROMISSORY NOTES (secured) discounted.
All communications should be addressed "The Manager."
G. BAKER WALKER,
General Manager.

LAND, MORTGAGE, LOAN, AND DISCOUNT COMPANY, Limited.
(INCORPORATED under the Companies Act.)

CAPITAL ... £75,000, with power to increase.

Corner YORK and KING STREETS.

The Company make immediate Advances on all descriptions of Merchandise, bonded or otherwise, under hypothecation.
Trade Bills Discounted daily.
All financial operations attended to promptly.
Reversionary Interests, Legacies (European or Australian colonies), Remittances advanced on or purchased.

SPECIAL NOTICE.
Farms, Farming Implements, Machinery, Horses, Cattle, Conditional Purchases (with certificate of conformity), also Bills of Sale without registration or possession, in small or large amounts.
SPECIAL.—First or Second Mortgages. Personal advances granted.
Highest Rates given for Fixed Deposits.
HUGH SHARPE, Acting Manager.

SYDNEY AND SUBURBAN MUTUAL PERMANENT BUILDING AND LAND INVESTMENT ASSOCIATION, Limited.

POST-OFFICE-CHAMBERS,
114, PITT-STREET.

DIRECTORS:
W. S. Buzacott, Esq., J.P., Chairman.
Thomas Davis, Esq., Vice-Chairman.

John Callaghan, Esq., J.P. | David Mackey, Esq., J.P.
Robert W. Hardie, Esq., J.P. | James Ward, Esq.

Authorised Capital	£100,000
Subscribed Capital	80,000
Paid-up Capital	64,000
Reserve Fund Account	18,500

Fixed DEPOSITS and Money at Call received at Current Rates of Interest.
Special Rates for periods beyond 12 months.

ADVANCES made on approved Freehold and Leasehold Properties at Repayments to suit Borrowers.

Choice Suburban RESIDENCES and Allotments of LAND for SALE; small deposits and easy terms.
S. H. LEWIS, Manager.

THE IMPERIAL LAND, BUILDING, AND DEPOSIT COMPANY, Limited.

HOFFNUNG'S-BUILDINGS, 171, PITT-STREET.

Nominal Capital, £100,000.

WILLIAM G. CAMERON, Esq., Chairman.

Deposits received for current or fixed periods, and interest allowed thereon at the following rates:—

12 months	7 per cent
6 months	6 per cent
3 months	5 per cent
At Call	4 per cent.

Special arrangements for large sums and longer periods.

Current accounts opened (operated upon by cheque book), and interest allowed on the daily balance.

OVERDRAFTS GRANTED on the DEPOSIT of DEEDS.

LIBERAL ADVANCES can be obtained at moderate rate of interest and low scale of repayment on approved Freehold and Leasehold Properties within the metropolitan district.

Choice Building ALLOTMENTS at Randwick, Macdonaldtown, Waverley, St. Peters, for SALE. Small deposit and easy repayments.

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For further information apply to
WILLIAM P. SMAIRL,
Manager.

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Solicitors:
Jno. Urquhart, Esq., Fitz-Evan-chambers, Castlereagh-street, Sydney
Messrs. Briggs and Snowball, 21, Queen-street, Melbourne.
Architects and Engineers:
Messrs. Kenwood and Kerle, 61, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.
Surveyors:
C. Quilty, Esq.; G. Peterson, Esq.; J. N. Oberg, Esq.
Auditors:
Messrs. Johnson, Addy, and Co., Hamilton-street, Sydney.

Sydney Offices: 32, Castlereagh-street.
With Branch Offices at Melbourne, Beveridge, Victoria; Liverpool, Penrith, New South Wales.

Highest rates allowed for fixed deposit.

12 months	8½	per cent per annum.
6 "	7	" "
3 "	6½	" "
At call	6	" "

Balance-sheets and all particulars on application to
F. W. EASLEY,
Manager.

INTERCOLONIAL INVESTMENT, LAND, AND BUILDING COMPANY, and DEPOSIT BANK, Limited.
Registered under the Companies Act.

Head Office: 96, BATHURST-STREET, SYDNEY.
Subscribed Capital, £61,000; Paid-up, £16,873.
RESERVE FUND, £2600.
Uncalled Capital Reserve, £44,127.

DIRECTORS:
WM. M'COURT, Esq., M.L.A., Chairman.
Thos. Tate, Esq. | G. Dyson, Esq.
J. T. Lawler, Esq. | R. J. Brandon, Esq. J.P.

DEPOSITS RECEIVED at following rates:—

Twelve months	6½ per cent. interest.
Six months	5½ per cent. interest.
At Call	5 per cent. interest.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS may be opened, bearing interest on daily balance, and operated on by cheque.

Latest Report and Balance-sheet forwarded on application.
W. J. DOUGLAS, Manager.

CIVIL SERVICE BUILDING SOCIETY,
184, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.
Board of Management.
President: Hon. Sir JOHN ROBERTSON, K.C.M.G.
Trustees, Ex-officio Directors: JOHN WILLIAMS, Esq.; JAMES C. COX, Esq., M.D.
Directors: ARCH. C. FRASER, Esq.; CHAS. A. GOODCHAP, Esq.; JAMES BARNET, Esq.; JUDGE WILKINSON; and CHARLES POTTER, Esq.
SHARES, £25 each, payable on application or by monthly instalments of 2s 6d per share, on which 6½ per cent. compound interest is allowed, together with share in the profits. Advances made on freehold or long leasehold security, repayable by monthly instalments extending over any time to 10 years, and borrowers share in the profits.
C. H. LYONS, Secretary.

MONEY to LEND, on mortgage of freehold property, city or suburbs, at 6 per cent. Apply CITY MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY, 49, Castlereagh-street.

H. E. RUSSELL, Financial Agent and Accountant, Norwich-chambers, Hunter-street.
MONEY to LEND on city, suburban, and country freeholds.
TRUST ACCOUNTS prepared and Estates managed.

MONEY to LEND on Mortgage of City and Suburban Property.
Australian Widows' Fund Life Assurance Society, Limited, 263, George-street.

TRUST FUNDS.—£250 to £30,000 to LEND, on mortgage of City or Suburban Property, at current rates.
C. A. LAWRENCE, Solicitor,
12, Spring-street.

MONEY to LEND in various sums, on approved security. Creagh and Williams, Bridge-street-chambers.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY.

LOANS ON MORTGAGE AND MUNICIPAL RATES.

Loans on Mortgage of Freehold or Leasehold Properties are granted, payable at the end of a fixed term of years, or redeemable by instalments, including principal and interest, under the Society's Table F.
Advances are also made on the Security of Municipal Rates.
Forms of application, and tables of repayment, obtainable at the Head Office of the Society, 87, Pitt-street, Sydney, or at any of the District Offices.
By order of the Board.
RICHARD TEECE,
Secretary.

THE SYDNEY AGENCY AND FINANCE COMPANY, Limited.
Subscribed Capital ... £100,000.

DIRECTORS:
JOHN ARTHUR, Esq. (Cramsie, Arthur, and Co.)
JAMES BURNS, Esq. (Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited)
ALF. W. MEEKS, Esq. (Gibbs, Bright, and Co.)
GEO. J. SLY, Esq., LL.D., solicitor, York-street
WM. ED. WILSON, Esq. (R. Towns and Co.)
E. H. TAYLOR, Esq., Managing Director.

The Company Purchases, Sells, and Manages ESTATES and PROPERTIES.
PROMOTES COMPANIES.
DISCOUNTS and GUARANTEES BILLS,
and transacts every description of financial business.
115, YORK-STREET, SYDNEY.

THE SYDNEY REAL ESTATE BANK, Limited.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL	£1,000,000.
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL	500,000.

OFFICES—108, PITT-STREET.

DIRECTORS:
J. W. CLIFF, Esq., Chairman
MAURICE ARON, Esq., J.P. (Messrs. Wallach Bros.)
JOHN BEVERIDGE, Esq. (Messrs. Geo. Griffiths and Co.)
J. B. CHRISTIAN, Esq.
J. Y. MILLS, Esq., J.P. (Messrs. Mills and Pile)
W. H. PALING, Esq., J.P. (Messrs. W. H. Paling and Co., Ltd.).

Real and leasehold estates purchased.
DEPOSITS RECEIVED.
Sale and purchase of properties negotiated. Financial business arising out of real estate and general banking business transacted. Agency and trustee matters undertaken.
LOUIS C. HENDERSON,
Manager.

THE NATIONAL BUILDING, LAND, and INVESTMENT CO., Limited.
DEPOSIT BANK.

Paid-up Capital, £22,800.
Reserved Undivided Profits, £11,922.

Deposits for 6 and 12 months received at the HIGHEST CURRENT RATES of Interest.
Deposits at Call are withdrawable without notice. Interest allowed on daily balance.
JAMES A. TODD,
Manager.

250, Pitt-street, Sydney.

THE REAL AND PERSONAL MORTGAGE AND ADVANCE COMPANY.

FIRST FLOOR, 16, OXFORD-STREET,
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Office Hours, daily 9 to 5. Monday Evenings, 7 to 9.

The abovenamed Company make immediate CASH ADVANCES on the following low scale of interest:—

Persons borrowing	£10 receive	...	£9 6 8
" "	£20 receive	...	18 13 4
" "	£30 receive	...	28 0 0
" "	£40 receive	...	37 6 8
" "	£50 receive	...	46 13 4

ADVANCES MADE on ANY TANGIBLE SECURITY.

All applications strictly confidential.

METROPOLITAN MUTUAL PERMANENT BUILDING and INVESTMENT ASSOCIATION, Limited.

65, MARKET-STREET, SYDNEY.

NOTICE TO BORROWERS.

LIBERAL ADVANCES can be obtained at moderate rate of interest and low scale of repayment on approved Freehold and Leasehold Properties within the metropolitan district.
For particulars apply to
ROBERT W. CONWAY,
Manager.

LAND, MORTGAGE, LOAN, and DISCOUNT COMPANY, Limited.
(Incorporated under the Companies Act.)

Capital, £75,000, with power to increase.
Corner YORK and KING STREETS.
DEPOSITS RECEIVED.
At call, 4 per cent.
3 months, 5½ per cent.
6 months, 6½ per cent.
12 months, 7½ per cent.
HUGH SHARP, Acting Manager.

EQUITABLE PERMANENT BENEFIT BUILDING, LAND, and SAVINGS INSTITUTION,
PITT and PARK STREETS.

Deposits of Money received at current rates of interest.
Loans are obtainable on the security of freehold properties at reduced rates of interest.
The popularity of the Society still increases.
All necessary information on application.
THOS. MILLER,
Manager.

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Offices: 171, YORK-STREET.

£50,000 to LEND.
Interest 7 per cent. Interest 7 per cent.

WILLIAM JARRETT,
Manager.

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on the shortest notice on
FREEHOLD and LEASEHOLD PROPERTIES,
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REPAYMENTS arranged to suit the borrower's convenience.
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Business transacted without delay, and held strictly private.

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The advertiser, being entrusted with the investment of a large amount of capital, is prepared to make immediate advances on very advantageous terms.
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OLDEST and most RELIABLE office in the Colonies,
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at MODERATE rates and WITHOUT delay.
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ASSETS REALIZATION and GENERAL FINANCE CO., Limited,
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by
G. W. GODWIN,
at Moderate Interest and Easy Terms of Repayment.
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TRUST FUNDS for investment, upon mortgage of approved city or suburban freeholds.
BRADLEY and SONS, Solicitors,
58, Margaret-street.

MONEY to LEND, on mortgage, city or suburban. R. A. Cape, Cape's-chambers, Bond-street.

TRUST FUNDS, for investment upon mortgage. Cope and King, solicitors, 139, Pitt-street, Sydney.

TO LEND, £9000, at 5 per cent., city or suburban property. A. M. Severn, 8, Norwich-chambers, Hunter-street.

BRITISH Trust MONEY to LEND. Archibald J. Bullock, 16, Norwich-chambers, Hunter-street, Sydney.

TRUST FUNDS to LEND, on city or suburban freehold securities. Dowling and Dowling, 29, O'Connell-st.

TRUST MONEY to LEND on Mortgage. Apply Thomas Read, solicitor, 133, King-street.

BROKEN HILLS. Centrals, Souths, Rounds, Bank, Gas, Trustees, bought. Wilder Griffiths, Collins-st., Melb.

MONEY Advanced from £5 upwards. The Queen's Loan Co., 135, Bathurst-st., between Pitt and C'reagh sts.

CIVIL SERVANTS and others may receive monetary assistance, utmost privacy. Box 900, G. P. O.

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MONEY to LEND, on city and suburban property. A. S. Gilder, solicitor, 63, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

MONEY to LEND at 6½ per cent. on good security. M. E. A'Beckett, solicitor, Wentworth-court.

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OFFICES: 55, MARKET-STREET.

Capital, £1,000,000.
Shares, £100; half-shares, £50; quarter-shares, £25 each.

Entrance Fee, 5s per share.

Subscriptions, 5s per fortnight—£6 10s per annum, per share.

Redemption, 5s 6d per fortnight—£7 3s per annum, per share.

Total, 10s 6d fortnightly, or £13 13s per annum on every £100 share borrowed.

Directors:
A. J. RILEY, Esq., M.L.A., President | Hon. JAMES INGLIS, M.L.A.
JOHN ARTHUR, Esq., J.P. | GEORGE MUNRO, Esq., J.P.
W. H. JENNINGS, Esq., J.P. | W. E. WILSON, Esq.
Solicitors:
Messrs. STEPHEN, JAQUES, and STEPHEN, O'Connell-street.
Surveyors:
Messrs. SHEERIN and HENNESSY, Pitt-street.

Deposits received for fixed periods and interest allowed thereon at the following rates:—
12 months ... 5½ per cent.
6 months ... 5 per cent.
Special arrangements for large sums and longer periods.
Advances made on city or suburban property.
Assistance given to build.
Shares issued and all information may be obtained at the offices daily.
ALFRED ERNEST BUBB, Secretary.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL INVESTMENT AND BUILDING COMPANY, Limited.

Authorised Capital	£100,000
Reserve Fund	£44,150

HEAD OFFICES:
309, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.
BRANCH OFFICES:
AUBURN-STREET, GOULBURN.

SPECIAL FEATURES.
Depositors, Borrowers and Land Buyers share in the profits.
Moneys received on Deposit to any extent at the following rates:—
4 per cent. per annum at call
5 per cent. per annum at six months,
with right to withdraw the whole or any portion at any time, with interest at the current rate for the period of deposit.

FIXED DEPOSITS FOR 12 MONTHS
receive interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum
and
BONUS AT MATURITY.

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H. G. SWYNY,
Managing Director.

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Corner of Pitt and Bathurst streets.
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of the
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Registered under the Companies Act.

CAPITAL £2,000,000,
in 2,000,000 SHARES of £1 EACH,
with power to increase.

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To be appointed after first meeting of shareholders.

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TEMPORARY OFFICE:
56, Margaret-street, Sydney.

PASTORAL, FINANCE, TRUST, and AGENCY COMPANY of AUSTRALASIA, Limited.

Objects.—This Company has been formed for the purpose of establishing, upon an advantageous and comprehensive basis, a pastoral, agricultural, and commercial agency and finance business, having branches in all the Australasian colonies, New Zealand, and in London. The Company's operations will include the direct importation and supply of station requisites.

Special Feature.—The introduction into this class of agency business of the mutual principle, under which constituents, being shareholders and having business transactions with the Company, will participate in its profits. The system has been so long in operation and favourably applied to the policyholders of mutual life assurance companies that the attention of investors is particularly drawn to this special feature, as more particularly explained below.

Advantages.—The large dividends which the pastoral companies already established in these colonies for transacting this class of business have continuously paid must be held to indicate that large savings can be effected by those pastoralists and agriculturists who become shareholders and constituents of a company founded on the mutual principle, the application of which will necessarily, at the same time, form a guarantee to the ordinary investing shareholder for the rapid development of a large volume of business to the company.

Debentures.—Advantage will be taken of the present favourable condition of the money market in London to issue debentures at advantageous rates, which will enable the company to grant, on favourable terms, all usual financial facilities to its clients.

Management.—Boards will be established in all the principal colonies; and care will be taken to make available to each colony, according to its current business requirements, an equivalent proportion of the capital at the command of the company from time to time.

Shares.—The first issue of shares will, in the first instance, be reserved in the following proportions to supply applications from each colony, viz.:—New South Wales, 300,000 shares; Victoria, 300,000 shares; Queensland, 200,000 shares; South Australia, 100,000 shares; New Zealand, 50,000 shares; Tasmania, 25,000 shares; and Western Australia, 25,000; but the directors reserve the power in making allotments to have regard, in the first place, to applicants likely to become constituents, to dispose in other colonies any shares not applied for of the reservations for each colony, and also from time to time to issue, upon such terms as they may deem advisable, shares to customers. It is also intended to offer the whole or a portion of the next issue in London.

Profits.—The articles provide that the net profits, after providing for maintenance of a reasonable current balance and reserve fund, will be apportioned yearly upon the following basis:—

(a) In providing for a dividend not exceeding the rate of eight pounds per cent. per annum upon the paid-up capital.
(b) An appropriation at a rate not exceeding 2 per cent. per annum on such capital to a special fund for equalising dividends, provided always that no such appropriation shall be made whenever the said fund shall stand with the sum of one hundred thousand pounds to the credit thereof.
(c) One-half of the balance shall be distributed amongst the shareholders by way of bonus or additional dividend, and the other half shall be divided amongst the constituents of the company being shareholders in proportion to the amount of profit accruing to the company from their respective transactions with the company during the preceding year.

Powers.—The memorandum and articles of association will enable the company to acquire any similar business already established, and the provisional directors have already in view the acquisition on favourable terms of three such businesses carrying first-class connections. Powers will also be taken for the company to act as trustees, executors, and agents of estates which include pastoral and agricultural properties. The memorandum of association is published herewith and the articles of association can be inspected at the offices of the solicitors of the company, Messrs. Allen and Allen, Phillip-street, Sydney, New South Wales; Messrs. Cuthbert, Hamilton, and Wynne, Collins-street West, Melbourne, Victoria; Messrs. G. and J. Downer, Central-chambers, King William-street, Adelaide, South Australia; Messrs. Macdonald Paterson, Fitzgerald, and Hawthorn, Brisbane, Queensland.

Able and experienced management in each department will be secured, and all appointments will be made by the directors after the floating of the company.

In the formation of the company no promoters' shares will be issued. The cost of registration, law, brokerage, printing, and sundry preliminary expenses will, however, be made a first charge upon the funds of the company.

Already a large number of influential stationholders in each colony have promised to send and to influence business to the company, and many have intimated their intention of becoming large shareholders.

Shares will be allotted, as far as practicable, according to priority of application, and as may be considered most conducive to promote the best interests of the company.

Applications will be received by the brokers named herein for the different colonies, and the share list will close simultaneously in each place.

THE PASTORAL, FINANCE, TRUST, and AGENCY COMPANY of AUSTRALASIA, Limited.

FORM OF APPLICATION FOR SHARES.

To Messrs. ....
Brokers for ....
Gentlemen,—
I hereby request you will allot me shares in the above company, and enclose you the sum of , being the application call upon shares; and I agree to accept the same or any less number that may be allotted to me, and sign the articles and memorandum of association when called upon to do so.
Dated at this day of , 18 .
Name in full..............................
Full postal address..............................
Signature..............................

P R O S P E C T U S
of the
TUENA QUARTZ-MINING COMPANY, Limited, TUENA, NEW SOUTH WALES.

Capital:
£24,000, in 24,000 Shares of £1 each.

12,000 shares fully paid up to Twenty Shillings (20s) are retained by the present proprietors in payment for the property.
12,000 shares are now offered to the public on the following terms:—2s 6d per share on application 2s 6d on allotment, and the balance in calls not to exceed sixpence (6d) per share per month if required.
The whole of the application and allotment money will be placed to the credit of the Company, less the bare expenses of floating. It is fully anticipated that not more than 10s in all will be required to be called up to place the mine in a dividend-paying position.

Provisional Directors:
ROBERT PRECIOUS, Esq., Merchant, Clarence-street, Sydney
FREDERICK CLISSOLD, Esq., J.P., Ashfield
H. M. MILLS, Esq., King-street, Sydney
ALEX. WILSON, Esq., George-street, Sydney
JAMES H. PARRY, Esq., Exchange, Sydney.

Bankers:
THE LONDON CHARTERED BANK OF AUSTRALIA, Limited.

Solicitors:
Messrs. ROBBERDS and SON, Castlereagh-street.

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THE PROPERTY CONSISTS OF FIVE LEASES, COMPRISING IN ALL EIGHTEEN ACRES.

SITUATED ABOUT THREE MILES FROM TUENA, PARISH OF MEGLO.

The present proprietors having spent a considerable sum of money in opening up the mine, and having proved the same by numerous tests to be extremely rich in gold, now invite the public to subscribe sufficient capital to provide machinery and the necessary appliances for the further development of this valuable property, feeling perfectly confident that the mine will, after suitable machinery has been erected, pay handsome dividends.

The property has up to the present time been worked in a most primitive manner by the original owners, who have succeeded in making it pay them handsomely, by simply extracting the gold from stone obtained from the rich leaders only, and by crushing with a pestle and mortar. They have sunk several shafts on the property, varying in depth from 12ft. to 60ft.

The main feature of the ground is a calcite lode, which was struck at 60ft. from the surface, and underlaying about one foot in three feet, and carrying very good gold.

A shaft has been sunk 40ft. easterly from the 60ft. shaft, and the same calcite lode has been again struck at 95ft., and is making in size and richness down to 110ft. Some of the stone (about 120lbs. weight) taken out at this depth returned gold at the rate of 73oz. to the ton, without the best of the specimens, and in sinking still further on the underlay gold is showing freely in the stone. The width of the reef or lode at this depth varies from one to four feet, and appears to be widening as depth is attained.

The reef at this depth is carrying two distinct gold-bearing shoots.

There are other gold-bearing veins, notably one of a rubble formation in the 60ft. underlay, which yielded from 5oz. to 84oz. of gold to the ton, in parcels varying from 12lb. to 120lb. weight.

In addition to the above there are numerous very rich reefs running through the property, some of which have been traced down from the surface to a considerable depth.

On the surface there are about 1000 tons of mullock, which have been taken out of the various shafts. This in panning off shows good payable prospects, and when machinery is erected will pay well to put through.

A large dam is in course of construction under contract, and will be completed in about one month.

So confident are the promoters of the value and prospects of this property that they are content to await payment from the mine itself rather than take any cash from the subscribed capital.

As assays are not always considered reliable, intending shareholders are invited to call at the Office of Messrs. H. M. Mills and Co., 96, King-street, Sydney, and see some of the stone which has just been taken out by Messrs. Mills and Moseley; or, if they desire it, go up and inspect the property, and judge for themselves.

Applications for shares to be made to Messrs. H. M. Mills and Co., 96, King-street, Sydney, who will afford investors all information.

FOR PUBLIC INFORMATION ONLY, ALL THE SHARES HAVING BEEN APPLIED FOR.

PROSPECTUS
of the
CASTLERAG SILVER-MINING SYDICATE, Near Emmaville, N. S. W.

Nominal Capital—£400,
in 40 shares, each £10.

Eight shares reserved for the promoters, fully paid up.

32 shares offered to the public, payable £5 on application, the balance in calls of £2 10s, as required.

The amount thus realised to be applied to further developing and proving the property, less floating expenses.

Each of the above shares to carry 1000 fully paid-up shares in the Company to be hereafter formed.

PROPOSED COMPANY.
Nominal Capital—£40,000 in £80,000 shares of 10s each.
40,000 shares paid-up to promoters.
40,000 shares offered to the public, payable 2s on application, 2s on allotment, the balance in calls not to exceed 1s per month.

Of the £20,000 thus subscribed, £5000 to go to original owners, completing purchase, £15,000 to go to the credit of the Company, less brokerage and floating expenses.

This Syndicate is being formed for the purpose of extending the workings, and further opening up the Castlerag Silver-mine, near Emmaville, containing 40 acres under mineral lease, Application No. 1932, dated 27th March, 1888, in the county of Clive, parish of Romney.

The Contract entered into on behalf of this Syndicate is one dated 17th May, 1888, from THOMAS GILLIGAN to SAMUEL CRANSTON, of Sydney, and further agreement between the same parties dated 2nd July, 1888.

The property is now being worked in a primitive manner by the original owners with good results, but owing to want of capital they are forced to ask the co-operation of the Syndicate for the purpose of development.

The present workings are on the edge of a creek or gully running across the lode, which is exposed on both sides for a depth of 25ft. From this face a quantity of ore was assayed by the Government Assayer, with the result of 128oz. of silver to the ton, and a further assay was made from stone on same face, 5ft. down and 15ft. down, resulting in 133oz. to the ton.

Applications for Shares to be made to the undersigned upon the enclosed form, and Shares will be allotted according to priority.
COLLINS and CO., Brokers for the Company,
5, Pomeroy-chambers, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

AUSTRALIAN GENERAL ASSURANCE COMPANY (MARINE).
HEAD OFFICE: 97, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.

Established 1836.

Paid-up Capital	£42,000
Reserve Fund	40,000

Board of Directors:
CHARLES SMITH, Esq., Chairman;
HENRY AUSTIN, Esq. | JOHN GILCHRIST, Esq.
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MARINE RISKS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION ACCEPTED AT CURRENT RATES.
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THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, Limited.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL	£2,000,000
SUBSCRIBED AND PAID UP	557,000

HEAD OFFICE: 40, Threadneedle-street, LONDON.

Interest allowed on Fixed Deposits according to arrangement. Current Accounts opened, and all usual banking business transacted.

SYDNEY BRANCH: 159, PITT-STREET.
JAMES STEELE, Manager.

SYDNEY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, Limited.

Capital, £250,000. Subscribed, £100,000.

ROBERT BUTCHER, Esq., J.P., Chairman.

POLICY HOLDERS participate in profits.
DAMAGE by LIGHTNING and GAS EXPLOSION COVERED.
Fire risks taken at lowest current rates.
73, Elizabeth-street.
R. J. RUBIE, Managing Director.

GUARDIAN ASSURANCE COMPANY.
Head Office: 11, Lombard-street, London.
Established 1821.

Subscribed Capital	£2,000,000
Capital Paid Up	£1,000,000
Total Funds upwards of	£5,000,000
Total Annual Income	£800,000

The undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at Sydney, are prepared to issue Policies of Insurance against FIRE on the usual terms.
GIBBS, BRIGHT, and CO., 37, Pitt-street.

PROSPECTUS OF TATE BROTHERS' AGENCY AND TRADING COMPANY, Limited, SYDNEY.
Registered under the Companies Act.

FURTHER ISSUE OF 20,000 SHARES.

CAPITAL, £100,000 in 100,000 SHARES of £1 EACH
(with power to increase to £300,000 by the further issue of Shares).
First issue 50,000 Shares, payable as under:—2s 6d per Share upon application, 2s 6d per Share upon allotment, and the balance in Calls of 1s per Share, of which one month's notice will be given of each Call.

Board of Directors:
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GEO. W. TATE, Esq. | JNO. TATE, Esq.

Managing Directors:
GEO. W. TATE, Esq., and JNO. TATE, Esq.

Bankers:
THE MERCANTILE BANK OF SYDNEY.

Solicitor:
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Secretary:
ALFRED R. GRAVES.

Broker:
J. G. GRIFFIN, 1 and 2, POST OFFICE-CHAMBERS, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY,
(Member Sydney Stock Exchange).

This Company was formed in January, 1887, for the purpose of acquiring the well-known business of Messrs. Tate Brothers, Produce Merchants and Salesmen, of 156 and 158, Sussex-street, Sydney (which has been established for 17 years), and to take over their leases and business.

To carry on the business of Grain, Dairy, and Produce Merchants, to act as general Auctioneers and Commission Agents.
To sell by auction or private treaty all kinds of Merchandise, Live Stock, Station Produce, Land, or other property.
To make advances on Grain and other Produce stored or consigned, when deemed advisable.
To store goods on account of consignors and others.
To provide, either by charter or purchase, Steamers or Sailing Vessels to work coasting trade of the Company when necessary.
To purchase Agricultural or other Lands for re-sale or rental.
To receive deposits at fixed rates of interest, the doing of all such matters and things as may be incidental to the attainment of any of the above objects, or others that may be conducive to the welfare of the Company.

Messrs. TATE BROS. GUARANTEE A DIVIDEND OF 10 PER CENT. PER ANNUM UPON THE CALLED-UP CAPITAL FOR THREE YEARS, lodging sufficient security in the hands of the Company for the due payment thereof.

Messrs. Tate Bros. have undertaken to devote themselves wholly to the interests of the Shareholders, and have agreed that they will not, either together in partnership or individually, enter into or engage in a similar business for a period of five years.

The warehouses of the Company have a frontage to Sussex street of 62ft., with a depth of 75ft., having an attractive and well-treated frontage to Sussex-street 70ft. high, comprising four lofty and well-lighted stories. The walls are built of machine-made bricks, neatly furnished throughout as face work, excepting the elevation to Sussex-street, which is cemented and richly treated with mouldings and other suitable embellishments.

The ground floor to the warehouse is 15ft. high, with a superficial area of 1600ft., being well lighted by large windows both into Sussex-street and yard at rear. The windows opening into Sussex-street are 9ft. 6in., and of corresponding height filled in with moulded and enriched cedar frames and British plate-glass, guarded by iron railings. Between these windows, and in the centre of the warehouse, is provided the principal entrance, 6ft. 3in. wide, affording access to the offices, sample-rooms, &c., which are situated on both sides, and lighted by the large windows before mentioned, and divided by passage-way, 8ft. wide, for access to warehouse, &c., in rear. These offices are constructed of Huon pine, enriched with cedar mouldings, and are fitted up with the several conveniences, and in every way complete for the business they are intended to serve.

A roadway 12ft wide, dividing the warehouses in centre on the ground floor, and running through the entire depth, affords access to a large yard in the rear 83ft. long and 36ft. wide, by which all goods are received and discharged, and in which is placed the hydraulic lifts, gas engine, stabling for four horses, dray sheds, and other conveniences. This roadway is enclosed from Sussex-street by handsome wrought iron gates, completely enclosing the whole of the premises after business hours. The warehouse has been carried over the roadway on the first, second, and third floors, by which means a total area of 3600 square feet is obtained upon each floor. On each of these three floors a light tramway has been laid down for the running of trucks, which proves to be an immense saving of labour in receiving and delivering, as these trucks run on to the cage worked by the hydraulic lift.

In addition to the foregoing, one floor is provided with a Fairbanks' platform weighing machine, weighing up to 35cwt., over which the trucks run, so that a dray load can be weighed in or out at the one operation. The floors are light and lofty, being 14, 13, and 12 feet high respectively, ample light being obtained from Sussex-street and yard at rear. The whole of these floors are constructed of ironbark and hardwood timber, and computed to be sufficiently strong to carry a safe load of 400lb. per square foot, the total area being 18,800 square feet, and the safe load 3350 tons. These floors are rendered practically of equal value by the ready means of receiving and discharging goods afforded by the use of the hydraulic lifts, the power for working being supplied by a 3½ h.p. gas engine fitted up in engine-rooms working the pumps and forcing water into the accumulator at a pressure of 200lb. per square inch. The elevators used are those patented by Messrs. Kenwood and Kerle, the great advantages which they possess being recognised by engineers and the public, a great saving in power and cost of working being obtained over that of any other at present in use. They are capable of making 14 lifts of one ton each to the top floor level in one hour, or a total of 140 tons per day of 10 hours, and are capable of discharging from either floor 350 tons within the same time. Presuming the engine to be pumping the whole day of 10 hours, the cost of gas consumed is 1s. 8d. The water being used over and over again, the cost in this respect is almost nil. Automatic gearing is fitted to the pumps, throwing them out of gear when the accumulator is full. Automatic stops are also provided, preventing the cages from ascending or descending too far, should the operator forget to work the gearing. The cages are fitted with safety clips, so arranged that in the event of the hoisting chains breaking they immediately come into play against the guides and hold the load in position. Each floor throughout is provided with gas, a water supply, and hose to be used in the event of fire, and the ceilings are constructed on fire-proof principles. The whole of the ground floor of warehouse, together with roadways, yards, stables, &c., are paved with concrete and wood blocks grouted in with liquid cement. The buildings are named "The Central Grain and Produce Stores," and they possess the advantages of being in the heart of the produce trade of Sydney (situated midway between Market and King streets) and adjacent to all the wharves connected with that business.

A FEW OF THE BENEFITS TO BE DERIVED BY FARMERS, GRAZIERS, AND OTHER PRODUCERS, AND THE PUBLIC GENERALLY, BY TAKING UP SHARES IN THIS COMPANY.

1st.—A dividend of 10 per cent. per annum upon the amount of paid up Capital is GUARANTEED.
2nd.—The liability of each Shareholder is limited to the amount of £1 per share.
3rd.—The acquisition of a business established for over 16 years, with the valuable services and experience of Messrs. TATE BROTHERS secured as Salesmen and Managers to the Company. The possession of the most complete and suitable premises in Sydney for carrying on a very extensive business.
4th.—FARMERS, WOOL GROWERS, GRAZIERS, and other PRODUCERS becoming SHAREHOLDERS are themselves, in supporting the Company by their consignments, assisting in extending the business, and they also participate in the commission derived by the sales of their produce.
5th.—By taking Shares in this Company you become your own Commission Agents, having complete supervision over the conduct of the Company's business, which is under the control of a Board of Directors, appointed by the Shareholders.
6th.—Greater facilities can be obtained by dealing with a Company possessing a large capital, and returns are sent to the growers immediately after the sale of their produce.
7th.—Any complaints arising between Shippers and Agents are referred to the Board of Directors, who, being Shareholders, see that justice is done, and any errors made are immediately rectified.
8th.—The concentration of the Produce Trade, and the creation of a Produce Exchange, whereby the trade is regulated and carried on under a better and sounder system than hitherto.
9th.—The Company also conduct a Banking Business, making advances to their constituents on their lands, growing crops, or goods on storage (if required), at a very moderate rate of interest, and receive money on fixed deposit and current account at usual bank rates.
10th.—Should it be deemed advisable (and favourable opportunities offer), the Company will be enabled to purchase farming lands for subdivision into farms of various sizes, and selling same on the usual Building Societies' terms, viz.:—Small deposits and easy terms of repayments, and otherwise encouraging and fostering the farming industry of the colony.
11th.—If necessity arise at any time for the efficient conduct of the Company's business to provide steam communication with their main centres of operations, the Company's Articles of Association allow of the purchase or charter of suitable vessels for that purpose.
12th.—All profits made by the Company are distributed pro rata amongst the Shareholders.

THE TERMS upon which SHARES can be obtained are very easy, viz.:—2s 6d per Share on application, 2s 6d per Share on allotment, and the balance in calls of 1s per share, at intervals of not less than one month. It is anticipated that not more than 10s per share will be required.

The Shares are being taken up rapidly, and the list will very shortly close; therefore, early application is necessary.

FIRST ANNUAL REPORT AND BALANCE-SHEET FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st JANUARY, 1888.
Presented to the Shareholders at the General Meeting held at the Company's Office, 158, Sussex-street, on Thursday, the 29th March, 1888, at 5 o'clock p.m.

To the Shareholders,—Your Directors have much pleasure in calling you together to submit to you their First Balance-sheet for the year ending 31st January, 1888.

As shown by the figures placed before you, the profits for the year, after allowing for bad and doubtful debts, amount to £643 7s 9d, and after writing off £78 10s for stationery, and £93 15s floating expenses, there remains an amount of £471 2s 9d for distribution.

After providing for a dividend of 10 per cent. out of the profits for the year, there will be an amount of £39 7s 7d to carry forward to new account.

The dividend (less interim dividend already paid) will be payable at the office of the Company on and after Tuesday, the 3rd April.

BALANCE-SHEET, 31st JANUARY, 1888.

Dr.			Cr.		
To Capital (nominal) ...	£100,000 0 0		By Subscribed capital ...	£11,021 0 0	
			Unsubscribed capital ...	88,979 0 0	
		£100,000 0 0			£100,000 0 0
To Subscribed capital £11,021 0 0, Less uncalled 4,959 9 0	£6061 11 0		By Calls unpaid ...	£1202 3 0	
Deposit account ...	150 0 0		Bills receivable ...	188 2 5	
Bills payable (including amount to proprietors) ...	7116 6 3		Floating expenses (less 25 per cent. written off)	281 7 1	
Mercantile Bank ...	4920 2 11		Stationery on hand and in use (less 25 per cent. written off)	235 19 7	
Outstanding cheques ...	736 1 10		Goodwill (including proprietors' shares) ...	8746 12 11	
Charges outstanding ...	10 18 9		Premises ...	1800 0 0	
All debts due by the Company ...	1692 7 9		Plant ...	587 0 0	
Balance, profit and loss ...	471 2 9		Interim dividend ...	55 1 0	
			Goods on hand ...	1798 5 9	
			All debts due to the Company after providing for bad and doubtful ...	6263 19 6	
		£21,158 11 3			£21,158 11 3
			Cr. By Balance, Profit and Loss ...		£471 2 9

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT, 31st JANUARY, 1888.

To Directors' Fees ...	£36 15 0		By Commissions ...	£2581 15 7	
Expenses ...	656 12 5		Merchandise ...	2870 0 11	
Interest, Discount, &c. ...	69 3 10				
Rent ...	467 13 0				
Wages and Labour ...	925 11 8				
Salaries ...	1545 9 6				
Managing Directors' Salaries ...	1076 0 0				
Law Costs ...	31 3 4				
Stationery (written off) ...	78 10 0				
Floating Expenses (written off)	93 15 0				
Balance ...	471 2 9				
		£5451 16 6			£5451 16 6
			By Balance, Profit and Loss ...		£471 2 9

JAMES STEERS, Chairman.
W. H. WESTGARTH, Secretary.

I hereby certify that, having examined all the Books, Vouchers, and Documents of the Company, I find the same to be correct and in accordance with the Balance-sheet.

J. N. S. CLARKE, Auditor.

RESULTS—THREE MONTHS ENDING MAY 31, 1888.

Merchandise ...		£1345 9 11
Merchandise—goods on hand ...		964 13 9
Commission ...		260 17 11
Rents, Rates, and Taxes ...	£201 0 0	
Storage ...		76 8 1
Office Expenses ...	36 2 11	
Insurance (three months) ...	4 6 0	
Managing Directors (three months) ...	259 10 0	
Stamps (Duty and Postage) and P.Ns. ...	53 8 2	
Salaries (three months) ...	328 7 6	
Wages, Labour, &c. (three months) ...	231 14 6	
Telegrams, Cables (three months) ...	21 14 4	
	£1136 3 5	£2647 9 8
Balance Credit ...	1511 6 3	
Number of Shares issued, 11,021.		
Amount of Capital called up ...	£8265 15 0	
Result of Balance for June month is ...	£650 12 0 net	

From the foregoing statement it will be seen that the career of the Company has been a highly satisfactory one, but the Directors find that the large increase of business necessitates the employment of more capital, and it is intended to go more extensively into the direct supply business, which is a very profitable branch. With a view to accomplish this, a further issue of 20,000 shares, which was previously retained by the Company, is now offered to the public on the original terms as before stated.

The attention of farmers, dairymen, storekeepers, merchants, and investors, is particularly drawn to the advantages derived by taking shares in this Company. They not only, by consigning to the Company their produce, ensure getting a maximum return at a minimum cost, combined with the utmost despatch, but they also participate in the profits.

The fact of the Company being able to retain Messrs. G. W. and John Tate as Managing Directors, should not be overlooked, as it must be patent to all that the business will receive that strict attention from them which has built it up to its present magnitude, and its room for extension is unlimited.

The terms upon which the Company purchased the business from Messrs. Tate Brothers were £5500, in extended payments (of which more than one-half has now been paid), and 5000 shares in the Company paid up to 10s per share.

Agencies have been established throughout N. S. W. and the Australian colonies.

THE AUSTRALIAN BANKING COMPANY, Limited,
corner of
PITT and MARKET STREETS (only),
Sydney.

Incorporated by Act of Council.

CAPITAL, £500,000.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:
Hon. FRANCIS ABIGAIL, M.L.A., Chairman.
JOHN HURLEY, M.L.A. | JOHN SCOTT
JOHN VANN | Alderman JOHN MAHONEY
Alderman S. G. DAVISON, J.P. | J. F. MARTIN.

A DIVIDEND (the last declared), on 26th July, of 10 per cent. per annum, payable on and after the 10th of August, at the bank, corner of Pitt and Market streets, Sydney.

THE BANK TRANSACTS ALL USUAL BANKING BUSINESS in every particular.

Special Advantages granted to Commercial Clients.

Overdrafts Granted against Deposits of Deeds.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON FIXED DEPOSITS:
At 3 months ... 4 per cent.
At 6 months ... 5 per cent.
At 12 months ... 6 per cent.

By order of the Board of Directors,
RODERICK M'NAMARA,
Acting-Manager.

FEDERAL BANK OF AUSTRALIA, Limited.

CAPITAL, TWO MILLIONS.

Subscribed Capital	£800,000
Paid-up Capital	£400,000
Reserve Fund and Undivided Profits ...	£96,584

DEPOSITS RECEIVED on INTEREST at CURRENT RATES, for 3, 6, and 12 Months.

All usual Banking Business transacted.

EBENEZER MACDONALD,
Manager.

SYDNEY TRANSFER COMPANY, Limited.
Head Office—33, Pitt-street, Circular Quay.
Branch Office—31, Market-street.
(Capital, £25,000, in Shares of £1 each.)
With which is incorporated the business of
Messrs. AUSTIN BROS. (established for 30 years),
GENERAL CARRIERS, FORWARDING, and BAGGAGE AGENTS.

Directors: J. C. SMITH, Esq., Merchant, Chairman; DONALD MANSON, Esq. (Elgin Watch Co.); B. B. NICOLL, Esq., Victoria Wharf; H. E. SMITH, Esq. (Lorimer, Rome, and Co.); F. W. JACKSON, Esq. (Union S.S. Co.); A. E. KENDALL, Esq.

The Directors being desirous of adding to the present working plant in order to meet the increasing demands of its numerous customers, and it being also desirable to further extend the Company's operations, it has been decided to place 10,000 of the Shares held in reserve on the market, payable 1s on application, 1s 6d on allotment, calls 1s per share at intervals of not less than a month.

Full particulars can be obtained from the Manager, to whom all applications should be addressed.

P R O S P E C T U S
OF THE
SOUTH WELSHMAN GOLD-MINING COMPANY, No-Liability, TURON RIVER, N. S. W.
TO BE REGISTERED UNDER THE NO-LIABILITY ACT.
CAPITAL £12,500 IN 25,000 SHARES OF 10s EACH.
Of which 12,000 Shares paid-up to 7s 6d, and £1500 go for the purchase of the Property.

The remaining 13,000 Shares are offered to the public on the following terms:—2s 6d application, 2s 6d on allotment, and the balance if required, in calls of 6d per share at not less than two months.

After 7s 6d has been called up all shares will rank alike and the balance of 2s 6d on 25,000 shares will be called up if necessary, in monthly calls of 1d per share.

The Promoters have every confidence in the paying qualities of this mine, and the vendors guarantee a dividend of 6d per share before the expiration of three months from date of erection of machinery, for which a fixed deposit of £500 will be placed to the credit of the Company in trust to the Directors, and they feel assured that it will not be necessary to call up more than 6s per share, as dividends may be expected three months after date of allotment.

The capital from the sale of 13,000 Shares (less £1500 and the ordinary expenses of floating), will go to the credit of the company for supplying the necessary crushing machinery and developing the mine.

PROVISIONAL DIRECTORS:
I. J. JOSEPHSON, Esq., Sydney | J. T. DOVE, Esq., Sydney
J. MUNRO, Esq., Sydney | W. H. HUDSON, Esq., Bathurst
J. DICKIE, Esq., Sydney | J. H. W. BROWN, Esq., St. Mary's

BANKERS:
BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES, Sydney.
SOLICITOR:
C. A. LAWRENCE, 12, Spring-street, Sydney.
BROKERS:
WEBSTER and INGOLDBY, 15, Hunter-street, Sydney.

LEGAL MANAGER:

This property consist of several leases embracing an area of 18 acres, and contains three large reefs, which extend throughout the property, which vary from 2 to 8 ft. in thickness. By means of the Government prospecting vote a shaft was sunk to the depth of 100ft. on one of these reefs, and a report was issued by the Under Secretary of the Mines Department, which appeared in the Sydney Morning Herald, of the 14th July, 1888, declaring that PAYABLE STONE had been struck in a 2ft. reef at this depth, crushings yielding 23oz. to the ton were obtained from the other two reefs over 25 years ago.

The plan and specimens taken from the 100-ft. level in the shaft that was sunk by the Government vote are to be seen at the offices of the brokers.

It has been proved that the stone from the mere out-crop of the reef has yielded 15dwt. of gold to the ton, and also that the stone materially improves in quality as it goes down, as will be seen by the reports a 10-head battery will reduce 100 tons of stone weekly, which, at a low estimate, will yield 75oz. of gold per week at £3 15s per oz. will give a dividend of 6d per month, or 100 per cent. annually. The cost of raising and crushing will probably not exceed 15s a ton. The gold in this district has brought as much as 82s per oz.

The Under-secretary for Mines received the following telegram from the Warden's clerk, Sofala:—"Re Prospecting Vote, the prospector (George Williams) has struck payable gold at a depth of 82ft., on Carney's line of reef, Spring Creek, two miles south-west of here. The reef is 2ft. wide, and shows gold freely. Several leases are being taken up in the vicinity."—Town and Country Journal.

SOFALA.—Great excitement has prevailed in consequence of the find at Spring Creek. The reef is 2ft. 6in. wide, and the stone assays as high as 7oz. 16dwt. 9gr. gold and 1oz. 9dwt. silver to the ton. The town is quite busy, and numbers of people are constantly arriving and going out to the find. A gentleman intends to take up several leases on the line of reef, so as to make a fine claim of about 18 acres. The reef is near Carney's reef, and joins the Queenslander, which was recently floated by Mr. Morgan, of Mount Morgan, for £30,000. Payable gold has been got in four places.—Town and Country Journal.

REPORT ON THE SOUTH WELSHMAN MINE,
by R. J. WEBSTER (of Webster and Ingoldby).

The property is situated on Spring Creek, within two miles of the township of Sofala, Turon River, and embraces an area of 18 acres. The Queenslander Company, which was recently floated by Mr. Morgan, of Mount Morgan fame, adjoins the southern boundary, and the Old Spring Creek Company's claim is on the northern boundary. The several reefs in both the above properties crop out on the surface, and can be readily traced through the entire length of the property now offered to the public.

The reef belt, which passes through this property, contains three large reefs near together, and running in what may be described as irregular parallel lines, having a course nearly north and south, while dipping to the west, and trending with the general clevage of the country, thus indicating that the reefs are true fissure lodes, and of a permanent character. The country through which these reefs traverse is chiefly of a decomposed granite, being soft and easily worked.

These reefs were taken up and worked in a desultory manner twenty-five years ago, and judging from the number and size of the mullock heaps, which extended along the line throughout the property, a considerable amount of work has been done on them, and, from what I could glean from various and independent sources, these reefs have yielded as high as 23oz. to the ton when first worked, but owing to the limited knowledge then existing as to the character and nature of reefs, the best methods of working them, the want of proper crushing appliances, and the superior attractions of the alluvial rushes then taking place, these reefs were abandoned, the old workings have fallen in, and practically nothing has been done to develop the reefs since the first efforts of the early miners.

As is stated, these reefs are running close together, in distances varying from 10ft. to 30ft. apart. The most easterly one being 4ft. in thickness, the centre one being between 8ft. and 9ft., and the westerly one being 2ft. in thickness. These reefs will probably, when followed down, be found to unite and form one tremendous lode.

By means of the pestle and mortar I tried a number of prospects from the outcrop of the three reefs, and, judging from the results I obtained, I estimate the stone on the outcrop to yield at least 15dwt. to the ton. There can be no question but what the stone improves in quality as the reefs are followed down. This is clearly established by the rich yields that have been obtained, and to which reference has been made, and by the fact that the shaft recently sunk by Williams and party, and subsidised by Government vote, struck rich stone at 100ft. from the surface (see above extracts from the Town and Country Journal), it being here and within a few feet of this shaft, where I tried the prospects to which I have referred. A trial crushing of 10 tons, which took place two months ago, of the refuse stone and surfacing, which was put through the Old Spring Creek Company's machine, yielded 3oz. to the ton.

A crushing mill site can be obtained at a spring that is near by, and which is never known to run dry, and at a distance of 200 yards from the present workings. There is abundance of timber on the property for mine and machinery purposes.

I can recommend this property as a bona fide investment on the following grounds:—

1. The reefs are of great length, are large in size, and have many of the minerals and much of the colouring matter (both in the formations and the reef themselves) which is usually associated with payable gold-bearing quartz.
2. All the reefs carry gold-bearing quartz, which will be made to yield dividends under proper treatment, and as soon as the crushing battery is got into position.
3. If Crushing Machinery is erected a plan could be found by which the stone could be tipped into the batteries from the mouth of a main working shaft. By this saving of labour the cost of raising and crushing the stone will not exceed 15s per ton.

CONTRACTS AFFECTING PROPERTY.
1. Agreement—James Henry Walters Brown, George R. Williams.
2. Agreement—James Henry Walters Brown, and R. J. Webster and C. H. Ingoldby.
3. Leases—James Henry Walters Brown, George R. Williams.
4. Agreements and Telegrams between parties concluding the contract.

The Provisional Directors are advised that the above are the only contracts which are required to be specified by section 69 of the Companies Act; but in order to prevent any question it is hereby expressly agreed by and between the Provisional Directors and applicants for Shares (testified by their signing application for such Shares) that such applicants waive the dates and any further compliance with the said section or enactment.

THE SYDNEY DEPOSIT AND DISCOUNT BANK.

BEAUMONT-CHAMBERS, 90, KING-STREET.

AGENCIES IN LONDON AND THROUGHOUT AUSTRALIA.

The following are the rates of interest allowed for FIXED DEPOSITS:—

3 years	9½ per cent.
12 months	8½ per cent.
6 months	7½ per cent.
3 months	5½ per cent.

Overdrafts granted against Deposit of Deeds, and all usual Banking Business transacted.

Communications from the country, addressed to the General Manager, will be promptly attended to.
H. LIKELY, Secretary.

THE AUSTRALIAN MERCANTILE LOAN AND GUARANTEE COMPANY, Limited.

Incorporated under Companies Act, 1872.

CAPITAL, £500,000.

Sydney Office,
CORNER of MARKET and YORK STREETS,
Sydney.

The Company grant immediate Advances upon Deeds of Land, Bills of Lading, Merchandise, Storage and Bond Certificates, Machinery, Cattle, Personal Guarantees, and all classes of mercantile or other approved Securities, for fixed terms or repayable by instalments, at very reasonable rates of interest.

BILLS DISCOUNTED DAILY.

Interest allowed on Deposits:
3 Months, 5 per cent.
6 " 6 "
12 " 7 "
and a Bonus declared to depositors of 12 months 2 per cent.; 6 months, 1½ per cent.

Arrangements can be made to withdraw deposits at any time on demand.

By order of the Board of Directors,
RUSSELL MARSHALL, Manager.
A. MILLER, Accountant.

THE AUSTRALIAN WIDOWS' FUND LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY, Limited.

Established 1871.

OFFICES: 263, GEORGE-STREET, SYDNEY.

Directors:
Hon. ARTHUR RENWICK, M.D., M.L.C., Chairman.
SYDNEY BURDEKIN, Esq., M.P.
HENRY GORMAN, Esq., J.P. (Messrs. Hardie and Gorman).

Conducted on PURELY MUTUAL PRINCIPLES, the whole of the profits being the property of the policy-holders. Claims paid in full immediately on proof of death and title.

LOANS granted on mortgage and on personal security combined with life assurance.

GEO. F. MURNIN,
Resident Secretary.

Policies issued during three years ending 31st October, 1887, amounted to over

THREE MILLION POUNDS.

UNION TERMINATING BUILDING SOCIETY, 55, Market-st.—Working-men, invest earnings profitably.

TROTTING and GALLOPING RACES at Agricultural Grounds, Moore Park, WEDNESDAY NEXT. Admission, 1s.

P R O S P E C T U S
OF THE
BLACK SPRINGS GOLD-MINING COMPANY, Limited, BARRABA, N. S. W.

CAPITAL, £30,000 in 30,000 SHARES OF £1 EACH, distributed as follows:—
15,000 fully paid up to present proprietors.
15,000 contributing issued as paid up to 10s now offered to the public on the following terms, viz.:—1s on application, 1s 6d on allotment, and the balance in Calls of not more than 6d per share at intervals of not less than one month.

PROVISIONAL DIRECTORS:
H. H. BROWN, Esq., M.L.A.
W. S. DOWEL, Esq., M.L.A.
J. MARSHALL, Esq., Paddington Brewery
JOHN SCOTT, Esq., 282, George-street
J. E. KEMP, Esq. (Morell and Kemp), Pitt-street.

BROKERS:
Messrs. VANN and ROBERTS, 112, King-street.

SOLICITORS:
Messrs. R. W. ROBBERDS and Sons, Castlereagh-street.

This Company is formed for the purpose of acquiring a 10-acre block of ground about five miles from Barraba, near the Manilla River, held at present on an application for a gold-mining lease.

As the stone from this property has been proved to be gold bearing, going as much as 1½oz. to the ton, the real object of this Company is to provide machinery so as to start to work as soon as possible, a practically unlimited quantity of stone being available for that purpose by a slight expenditure for labour.

One ton 6cwt. of the stone from the ground yielded 1oz. 19dwt. 20 grains of gold, which gold, and the certificate accompanying, can be seen at the Office of the Brokers to the Company.

The present proprietors are perfectly satisfied to receive fully paid-up shares in the Company for their interest in the property, believing that when it becomes fully developed and in working order, it will prove a very remunerative venture.

There are 4 distinct reefs on the property, and the stone treated as above came partly from each of them. These reefs, judging from their conformation, seem likely to unite at no great depth and form one solid reef of at least 10 feet wide.

As the reefs are workable from the surface, and large quantities of stone can be obtained at trifling cost in readiness for crushing when machinery is erected, it is estimated that the necessary plant can be purchased and erected and 100 tons of stone crushed for about £3500, hence it is expected it will not be necessary to call up more than 5s per share of the capital unless more expensive operations are decided on hereafter by the shareholders in general meeting assembled. In order therefore to commence operations quickly, the Company will be declared to be formed when one half the shares are applied for.

The accompanying Report of Mr. W. G. Collings, well known in mining circles, gives a good idea of the prospective value of this property, and the original report, together with stone from the mine, and the gold obtained on crushing can be seen, as mentioned before, at the Office of Messrs. Vann and Roberts, 112, King-street.

REPORT ON THE BLACK SPRINGS LEASE.

This property consists of 10 acres of land, situate in Herding Yard Gully, about five miles out of Barraba, near the Black Springs, and about one mile from the Manilla River.

I have spent a considerable time in prospecting the reefs in your ground, and generally in tracing them both north and south of it. Within a space of about 40ft. I find four reefs, three of which are fully 3ft. wide and one about 2ft. wide. There is little doubt that these reefs will, at no great depth, all run together as in a mine about half a mile to the north of your ground locally known as Reading's reef, where a similar formation shows with a resultant reef of about 16ft. in thickness. This reef, under a variety of local names, may be traced from Nundle or thereabouts to Bingera, forming the backbone of the auriferous belt stretching between these places, and I cannot refrain from expressing my surprise that so promising a reef has so long been neglected.

Each of the four "reefs" (I cannot call them veins or leaders) in your ground show gold equal, I should estimate, to 1oz. per ton. I send you samples taken by myself, as also about 1 ton of quartz for a trial crushing as requested.

The gold is "fine," and will require careful crushing to save it, but anyone with eyes can easily find it. There is no necessity to overhaul a ton of stone for a colour, as it is well distributed through the stone.

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(*From the Scotsman.*)

At the present moment, the region of which Chicago is the commercial capital and the distributing centre may be regarded as one of the most important agricultural areas in the world. It is the great Western granary, where have been demonstrated the boundless possibilities of the Far West, and from which Eastern America and Great Britain annually draw vast quantities of bread and meat. It includes the States of Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Dakota, Minnesota, Nebraska—the States and Territories that stretch from Lake Michigan to the Rocky Mountains. The area under cultivation in this region, with the construction of new railways, and the ceaseless flow of immigration, is being extended with amazing rapidity. Each year millions of acres of rich and fertile soil are brought under the plough, while in the arid region, we are told, which only a few years ago was considered impossible of cultivation without extensive irrigation works, it is found that almost any crop can be grown with little or no recourse to artificial assistance. "And when all this vast territory, yet unsettled, is improved, and more careful gardening practised, it is impossible to over-estimate the agricultural resources of the future." So writes Mr. Hayes Sadler, our consul at Chicago, in the interesting commercial report which he has supplied to the British Foreign Office. He tells us that in the State of Kansas the area under cultivation in 1860 including prairie under fence, was 372,855 acres, or ·70 of the area of the State; in 1880 it had increased to 8,868,886 acres, or 18·86 per cent.; and in 1886 to 15,473,495 acres, or 29·43 per cent. Dakota, which leads in the production of wheat, contains 96,500,000 acres of land, including the Indian reservations, and as yet only 36,000,000 have been disposed of. The land, which is almost entirely tillable and is covered with native grass, which becomes hay on the ground, and which costs a trifle to cut and stack, is passing into the hands of settlers at the rate of four million acres a year. Of the annual production of the Chicago region, Mr. Sadler's figures speak with sparkling eloquence. Last year the total produce of Indian corn was 701,039,000 bushels, of an estimated farm value of sixty millions sterling; the total crop of wheat was 221,876,000 bushels, of an estimated farm value of twenty-seven millions; and the yield of oats was 404,737,000 bushels, of an estimated farm value of 22 millions. The yield varies, chiefly in the arid regions, which lie to the west. In Kansas this portion consists of high rolling prairies, with a gentle slope eastwards—the altitude ranging from 1500 to 3500ft. above the level of the sea. But even here irrigation has worked wonders, and water is every where easily obtainable. "Arbour day," too, is being rigidly observed—the day set apart in each year in the States for the purpose of encouraging the planting of trees, and forestry in general; and tree planting, and the operation of Acts which have been passed to check the waste of timber, may be expected gradually to improve the climate of those parts where the absence of forests is said to account for the deficiency of moisture.

The vast prairies which cover the western half of Dakota, Nebraska, and Kansas, and the plains of Wyoming and Montana, afford an apparently inexhaustible supply of food for cattle and horses. Stock raising began well in the Chicago district; but according to Mr. Sadler's report, the industry has received a temporary check. Prosperity reigned from 1881 to 1885, but depression has attended the operations of the last two years, and some great failures have taken place. The drought of 1886 and the intense cold of the following winter caused enormous losses, and those calamities were attended with universally low prices. "The losses from cold and exposure in that winter are said to have been 40 per cent., and I have been assured by some large ranchers that their losses were fully 80 per cent., it having been impossible to reach the herds during the extreme severe weather, and cattle died before assistance could reach them." The opening of railways, also, have brought Texan ranches into competition with those of the north-west: but we are told that the Texan animals are poorer, and that they fetch, accordingly, a lower price. The report on this point, however, is not altogether gloomy. During the past winter the losses have been comparatively small, and the cattle have been well fed. In future, we are told, there will probably be smaller ranges, and cattle will be kept in smaller herds, within convenient feeding distance, and with closer regard to quality and condition. "And with this change and the prospect of markets nearer home, there is still a wide field open to cattle ranching." A curious practice is now adopted on several ranches in the interests of economy and improvement—that of dehorning the cattle. It has been calculated that 200,000 cattle and horses die each year from horn thrusts in the United States. Dehorning will certainly mitigate these losses, but whether horniess cows will give more milk, or whether there will be a saving "in feed of hay," as the advocates of this system assert, is, to say the least, doubtful. The cattle stocks of this region are enormous. On the prairies of Montana, Wyoming, Nebraska, and Dakota there are four millions head, and in seven other States there are nearly nine million head—other than milch cows. To pass from ranche cattle to milch cows, it is impossible to over-estimate the importance of the dairy interests in this region. In seven states there are 4,819,371 milch cows. Last year, Iowa alone produced 86,000,000lb. of butter, and the produce of its dairy farms sold outside the State is estimated at £4,200,000. The other States were equally rich in production, "and their capabilities are many times their present produce." Chicago, as the receiving and distributing centre, handles the produce of the North-West. Last year it received 127,750,000lb. of butter, and shipped 116,500,000lb.; it received 46,425,000lb. of cheese, and shipped 42,000,000lb. In America, as here, dairy interests suffered for a considerable time from the unrestricted sale of oleomargarine, butterine, and such products. Last year, however, as a result of the Oleomargarine Act, the price of butter improved, Mr. Sadler says, about 2d. per lb., and there are indications of a period of fresh activity.

America appears to have grappled with considerable success with the plague of pleuro-pneumonia. An outbreak in Chicago in 1886 occasioned great inconvenience and corresponding loss in the interchange of animals between the different States. But Illinois followed the example of Missouri in 1885, and has succeeded in thoroughly stamping out the disease. There were 24,161 head of cattle examined in Cook County, Illinois, to which the outbreak was confined; and of these nearly eight thousand were slaughtered. Six hundred sheds or stables were destroyed or disinfected. The restrictions placed on inter-state traffic on cattle have now been removed, and the gratifying stage has been reached that there is no sign of disease in the entire district. Mr. Sadler, however, tells of a deadly disorder which is now occupying the attention of another class of agriculturists—the hog, breeders. This malady has hitherto baffled investigation. Attempts were recently made to improve the breed of swine, and with the new or improved grade came the disease." Formerly the ugly-shaped native hog roamed in a half wild state, and found its own living. Now they are bred in a more artificial manner, kept and fed in pens; and possibly this more civilised and indolent existence may be one cause of the increased disorders they are subject to." No specific for this hog cholera has been found. "In the meantime, losses are enormous, and entire herds of hogs are sometimes carried off in a week by disease arising from no known cause." Mr. Sadler mentions the ugly rumour which exists that such dead carcases are occasionally sold, and that they enter into the manufacture of lard and butterine, or in the composition of soap, "which is almost as bad." These statements are, of course, denied by the Chicago pork merchants and manufacturers, and our Consul admits that it is difficult to see how such sales can be effected. Yet he regrets the want of a general law to regulate the disposal of such animals—something which would settle doubt and put rumour to rest. In other respects, as has been indicated, the prospect is at the present moment not unpromising for American agriculture. In these days neither the American nor the British farmer need look for a substantial rise in the price of grain, but in America the producing area is being greatly extended, the cost of production is not increasing, and the means of transit are being improved. Then, again, the breed of stock has been of late years immensely raised. Mr. Sadler reminds us that it is only, comparatively speaking, a few years since first English and Scottish cattle were introduced into the United States to improve the herds. There are now thoroughbred stock everywhere, and the centres of pure blood are raising the standard of quality everywhere throughout the country.

WHY HE DID NOT GO TO THE HOSPITAL.

HE COULD LEAP THROUGH THE AIR.

My object in writing is two-fold: to express my gratitude for a great benefit, and to tell a short story which cannot fail to interest the feelings of many others. It is all about myself, but I have remarked that when a man tells the honest truth about himself he is all the more likely to be of use to his fellow-creatures. To begin, then, you must know I had long been more or less subject to attacks of bronchitis, a complaint that you are aware is very common and troublesome in Great Britain in certain seasons of the year. Some months ago I had a very severe turn of it, worse, I think, than I ever had before. It was probably brought on by my catching cold, as we are all apt to do when we least expect it. Weeks passed by, and my trouble proved to be very obstinate. It would not yield to medicine, and, as I also began to have violent racking pains in my limbs and back, I became greatly alarmed. I could neither eat nor sleep. If I had been a feeble, sickly man, I should have thought less strangely of it; but as, on the contrary, I was hearty and robust, I feared some new and terrible thing had got hold of me, which might make my stay on earth of no avail against it. I say, that was the way I thought.

Presently I could not even lie down

ENGLISH GOSSIP.

(BY OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 20.

The season is waning fast. So far as the functions of the time are concerned it has been a battle with rain and wind and cold. The great cricket matches of the year have been played under dull skies with constant storms in them. The University match could not be finished on account of the rain; and the Australians at Lord's have not been spared the general deluge. Tennis and boating have suffered in the same way; and Society's Garden parties and Pastoral Plays have been the wettest of wet affairs. To make matters worse it rained all day long on St. Swithin's Day; and it is said we are booked for another month of bad weather. If this be so the remainder of our fruit crops will go by the board, and the hay harvest will be a complete failure. It is a wonderful thing to see Society go along with her various gay functions in spite of wind and weather, contented if once in a way a little sunshine or a fine day is vouchsafed for even her most insignificant meetings. The Eton and Harrow cricket match at Lord's is one of the last big out-door events of the season. It had one fairly fine day, which was very pleasant for players and their friends, and also for the residents in the neighbourhood of the famous ground. Mr. Thomas Thorne, of the Vaudeville Theatre, has a pleasant little house and garden near the gates; so also has Mr. Pinero, the dramatist. Mr. Thorne and his daughter and Mr. Pinero and his wife gave luncheons on both days of the Eton and Harrow. The guests strolled in and out of each other's houses, and in and out of Lord's in a pleasant informal manner. One noticed among them Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickens, just home from America, where the younger Dickens has made a success as a reader of the father's works, Sutherland Edwards, the Hon. Lewis Wingfield, Miss Norreys, the Savile Clarkes, the Dunphies, of the *Morning Post*, Mr. and Mrs. Willard, any number of pretty actresses, and altogether an interesting crowd from what is called Upper Bohemia.

Lord's, as you know, is in the heart of the pretty London suburb of St. John's Wood, a region supposed by strangers to be the favoured locality of the demimonde. This ill name St. John's Wood chiefly owes to Miss Braddon and other novelists who take a delight in establishing their naughty heroines here; but the truth is at the worst of times only a very limited little locality of the Wood has ever been so tainted, while at all times this picturesque district has ever been the favoured home of art, literature, science, and taste. To-day it is one of the most notable of the London suburbs. Within a stone's throw of Lord's live Alma Tadema, Phil Morris, Arthur Lucas, Pettie, and half-a-dozen other famous artists and Royal Academicians; George Eliott, Landseer, and Titiens lived most of their lives here: and along St. John's Wood-road now reside James, Thorne, Pinero, Jones, Willard Yorke, Stevens, and a host of other well-known professionals, not to mention many aristocratic and titled people who do not think it necessary to their position that they should live in the crowded streets of Mayfair and Belgravia.

On the fine day at Lord's the Princess Mary of Teck, with her son and a large party, attended the Eton and Harrow match. They were all dressed in black, as indeed were many of the fashionable ladies at Lord's and visiting at adjacent houses. Lady Morell Mackenzie with her daughters were entertained at Mrs. Arthur Levy's drag. Lady Mackenzie being in mourning, her daughters in white frocks with large leghorn hats. Very tall hats were *de rigeur*, and the long parasol stick, now like a mace, now like a club, mostly like an alpen-stock, was in every well-gloved hand. The ninth match between Australia and England was finished at Lord's on Tuesday in favour of the colonials, making up to date five matches won by England, two by Australia, and two drawn. The last match was played on a very wet wicket, but, in spite of the weather, the play was watched by a tremendous and greatly excited audience.

On the same day as the last of the Australian matches there was an interesting game at the Paddington ground which attracted many fashionable and artistic people, namely, the return match between actresses and journalists, the latter armed with broomsticks and playing with the left hand only. It was a curiously one-sided game. The men had to play left-handed, to field left-handed, and if they made the mistake of touching a ball with the right hand it scored against them. Some of the papers that are critical about woman's work are making the match a text to the disadvantage of "woman's righters." There were many nice smart people on the ground—Lady Moncton, Mr. Chapman, of the firm of Chapman and Hall; Mr. Solomon, the artist; Miss Helen Hatton, whose picture of Mary Moore in the New Gallery is one of the notable pictures of the year; Mr. Johnson, of the *Graphic*; Mr. Bryan the caricaturist, from whose pencil some racy sketches of the broomsticks are expected; and a host of other celebrities. The ground was sodden; it was like damp moss; but the fair cricketers, who came dressed and shod to face any weather, went through the business of the day without fear or favour, and beat their opponents easily. The game excited the wildest merriment among the lookers on, who made occasional remarks of a friendly character upon the game, interspersed with quotations from the plays in which the cricketers had made their greatest histrionic successes.

On Tuesday all Islington and Camden Town were alive with flags and decorations to welcome the Prince and Princess of Wales on their way to open the new buildings of the Great Northern Hospital in Holloway-road. After the ceremony the Princess was in attendance for nearly two hours to receive subscriptions, which were presented to her for the hospital from a number of collectors of all classes and ages; she received a thousand pounds in this way. Then she and the Prince went through the wards and chatted with many of the patients. The weather held up while they were in the building, and for a little while during their drive homewards, but they had not reached Camden Town when a great thunderstorm broke and deluged the streets.

As I said before, it is wonderful how Society has continued her functions in spite of the weather; her dates are never altered except in the case of a death of great distinction, and even then fixed events are only postponed. The Archbishop of Canterbury and Mrs. Benson held their last garden party of the season at Lambeth Palace. The Archbishops of Dublin and Armagh were present. The Church and the World met in the old guardroom over choice refreshment and in perfect sympathy. The palace grounds looked singularly fresh and green considering that they are a London palace and grounds. For that matter the weather has not hurt the London grass which is emerald in hue, and sparkles with what poets would call dew, only it is not safe to walk upon it.

One of the great events of the season was Mrs. Oppenheim's ball last week. It had been deferred on account of the German Emperor's death. The ball was notable as the occasion of the *debut* of the new Duchess of Marlborough, about whose wedding New York excited itself so much that the sensation spread to London. The Duchess was an American widow known to wealth and fame as Mrs. Hammersley. She was married to the Duke at a registry office, and her money is to revive the glories of Blenheim Palace. She is a handsome and distinguished-looking woman. It was remarked that she was very plainly dressed, and wore but few ornaments in the way of precious stones or gems. Mrs. Oppenheim had gathered together all the beauties. Miss Chamberlain, the American Hebe, never appeared to better advantage; and Mrs. Adair, in royal blue satin, was a picture.

"Violet Fane," the authoress (whose real name is Mrs. Singleton) gave a delightful garden party last week at Prince's Gate. Lady Archibald Campbell was the lioness of the occasion, and the Hungarian band had a pretty tent all to itself. But the function of most importance next to Mrs. Oppenheim's (at which the Prince and Princess were originally to have been present) was Mrs. Henry Brassey's ball at Cromwell House. Mrs. Brassey was dressed in pale maize satin, brocaded with terra cotta flowers, and she wore a magnificent dirmond star in her hair; Lady Cottenham wore a gown of silver brocade, with white lace, which had a lovely effect in contrast with the dresses of Lady Francis and Lady Isabel Cecil which were black and scarlet; Mrs. Cecil Samudas, white tulle dress, trimmed with real orchids, was a great success. The ballroom was daintily decorated, and the supper table was half buried in roses.

Mr. Isidore de Lara is a fashionable vocalist among that class of society which delights in hot love songs and the dreamy inanities which pass for sentiment. He is in great request everywhere, admired by the women, and as a rule disliked by the men. He introduced a novelty into party-giving where music is a feature, by hiring the Opera Comique, in which pretty theatre he last week gave a charming reception. Mrs. Bernard Beere was there in a startling costume, and she recited a poem called "Cleopatra," which was not in the best taste (a critic who was present tells me), seeing that the words were somewhat "strong," and the audience chiefly consisted of women and young girls. But what shall be said for the taste or the want of it which has induced De Lara to train a child to sing his suggestive songs. I heard the little lady whom he has made the fashion this season at a reception given by Mr. Charles Wyndham. She is called Mademoiselle Marguerite Naudin. She is decidedly French, and evidently of the Semitic race. She is wonderfully clever for a child of nine, having a perfectly trained voice, and an admirable method; but to hear this infant sing French love songs, the ballads being of a fervent and unwholesome character, is to my mind very disagreeable to say the least.

The Countess of Ellesmere's ball at Bridgewater House was a superb affair. Bridgewater House is a palace, and on this occasion it was ablaze with lights and flowers, and the company may be said to have been ablaze with diamonds. Lady Ellesmere received her guests in a costume of black velvet and satin, with grey decorations in lace and tulle, and she carried a lovely bouquet of white flowers. The Duchess of Cleveland was in white satin, with magnificent diamond ornaments. Caroline, Duchess of Montrose, wore a wonderful diamond tiara, and a gown of pale blue and purple. The Duchess of Bedford wore black velvet, and had a perfect crown of diamonds; she was accompanied by her two daughters. The Dowager-Lady Londonderry, even in this company, was remarked for her gorgeous set of emeralds, and diamonds. It would be like a page out of Lord Beaconsfield's latest novel any attempt to describe the brilliant scenes in which the company were engaged, dancing going on simultaneously in three different apartments, and none of the dancers seeming to be below a duke and duchess; even Lord and Lady Charles Beresford were comparative outsiders. This is an age, it is thought, when the aristocracy of brains is accepted on a par with the aristocracy of blood; but I fancy brains would have been rather looked down upon at the Countess of Ellesmere's the other night.

There was an interesting and showy wedding at St. George's, Hanover Square, on Tuesday. The bride was Miss Flora Walter, daughter of Mr. John Walter, proprietor of the *Times*, the bridegroom, Mr. Frederick Heygate, son of Sir F. Heygate, Bart. The Bishop of Derry, assisted by the Rev. H. M. Walter, officiated. The bridesmaids wore costumes of white China silk and Valenciennes lace and white tulle hats trimmed with Marechal Niel roses. They wore very little jewellery, simply a pearl brooch each, and they carried large bouquets of yellow roses. The bride's dress was a white crêpe de Chine, covered with a deep flounce of old Spanish point lace, the corsage and train of white brocaded moire. The whole of her ornaments were diamonds of the first water. There was a reception after the ceremony at the house of the bride's mother in Upper Grosvenor-street. The old-fashioned wedding breakfast seems now to be rapidly becoming obsolete, most of the fashionable weddings taking place in the afternoon.

The Exhibitions have not flourished in the wet. Their directors have done all they could to keep their attractions before the public. The other day the Anglo-Danish folk gave a silver *fête*, which was fairly well attended; but the Irish Exhibition has this week eclipsed all rivalry in its bazaar, at which stalls were presided over by Lady Salisbury, Lady Londonderry, Mrs. Gladstone, and other famous ladies on both sides of politics. The stallkeepers all wore Irish emblems, the shamrock being much in evidence both as a personal decoration and for sale. Miss Justin M'Carthy made a great point of selling portraits of Mr. Parnell. The Italian show has greatly improved, and if we only had a little fine weather the attendance would no doubt be very large. The circus is well worth seeing, and there is some talk of opening a theatre in the enclosure. The Anglo-Danish managers have found the tableaux in their pretty little theatre a great success. The subjects are taken entirely from Hans Christian Andersen's stories; and of late "The Little Match Girl" has been a very favourite picture. On the silver fête nights the gardens were illuminated with extra fires, and at the inauguration the lady and gentlemen guests all being in evening dress gave the grounds for a short time a gay and brilliant appearance.

What a change from these scenes of dazzling light to the match girls of the East End of London. The child, in the fairy story was not poorer than many of the women and children who have been for several weeks on strike against their employers, Messrs Bryant and May. Happily for the poorest of them, certain trade unions have helped them in what turns out to have been a worthy and justifiable struggle. The strike has been conducted on both sides with both discretion and dignity, and it has come to an end to the satisfaction of all parties. It seems pretty plain after going into the trouble with some patience that if the foremen of departments had been frank with their employers the strike would not have occurred. The foremen did not thoroughly report both sides of the case, and Bryant and May stood out when they would have given way in consequence, On a full and proper representation the firm have conceded the demands of the strikers and have in the most liberal way volunteered the suggestion that after all it will be better for the matchmakers to have a society for their own protection, so that in case of any trade misunderstanding in future the matter can be authoritatively represented to them on behalf of the whole body of their work-people.

The attacks on Sir Morell Mackenzie in the German papers have broken out afresh. All kinds of shameful and libellous things are said of the English doctor, who seems to have kept the poor Kaiser alive too long to have pleased certain Court intriguants. The anti-English German press also casts slurs upon the widowed Empress Frederic. They say she took valuable papers away from the palace, and that the Queen carried them out of the country. Mr. Labouchere's paper (*Truth*) is not above hinting that some of these papers were securities repre-enting a money value; and, further, that the Kaiser's last will and testament will be contested in the German courts. It is stated with some show of authority that Sir Morell Mackenzie will not answer the scandalous attacks made upon him; but I have reason to know that Sir Morell will reply all in good time, and it is possible that some answer will be made on matters affecting the Queen of England and her daughter from the highest quarter in the realm. The state of feeling in Germany against the heroic Prince and brave King who died as courageously as he had lived will be best understood by an extract from the Prussian Year Book just published:—"The administration of the dead Kaiser is a sad episode in German history—and through the lying practices of the English doctors and their dirty journalistic associates." Several newspapers discuss the late reign in the same tone. One would think if there were no truth in the statements that the new monarch is hostile to his mother he would not permit these things to be said or written. On the other hand during the past week a Berlin merchant of some position has been sentenced to 15 months' imprisonment for speaking scandalous words of the Empress Frederick.

Literary gossip is at the moment all but a dead letter. "The Publisher's Circular" is rejoicing over the verdict given against Mr. Watt, M.P., in the matter of the charge of plagiarising Mrs. Daly's book on "Digging, Squatting, and Pioneering," mentioned at the outset in the *Sydney Morning Herald*. "The Publisher's Circular" repeats what I have already said in these columns that half the "philanthropic" and "*emigrational*" lectures delivered in this country are cribbed from responsible authors. Two clever shilling books are to the fore for the moment, Hamilton Aide's "Cliff Mystery" and A'Beckett's "Tracked Out." Among the well-illustrated Christmas books for boys which is likely to be popular is "Captured by Cannibals," which is to be issued from the press of Hodder and Stoughton. Two interesting volumes, "The Correspondence of Mr. Motley," the historian of the Netherlands, are in the press. Cassells will publish Stevenson's "Black Arrow," a story which originally appeared in a London periodical years ago, and which has recently been published by an American syndicate under a new title in certain American and English newspapers. "Kensington: Picturesque and Historical," will be one of the most gorgeous books of the season; it is to be superbly illustrated, and the Queen has accepted Mr. Loftie's dedication. "Young Maids and Old China," from the press of Marcus Ward, which is a delightful book, and Percy Fitzgerald's volume, "Bow-street Police Court," are in demand at the libraries. One or two English publishers are ready to rush over to America on the first intimation of the probable passing of the International Copyright Bill, a prospect of which is really on the cards. Should the measure pass, very important changes will take place in the business arrangements of several large publishing houses on both sides of the Atlantic. It will be essential that certain leading London firms shall have branch establishments in New York. Already Cassells have, and Virtues and others profess to have, but they are simply agencies. On the other hand, Harpers and Appletons have houses here; not, however, so much for the purpose of obtaining books first hand as to make arrangements with publishers for simultaneous publication of notable works. With an international copyright the author's position will be improved by the real competition of both countries for his work.

OUR ST. PETERSBURG LETTER.

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So great was the fear, not to say the panic, in St. Petersburg concerning the political opinions of the present Emperor of Germany, and so strong the conviction among the Russian people that the name of Wilhelm II. is synonymous with immediate war and universal cataclysm, that the very moderate and reasonable manifesto, by means of which this potentate gave expression to his views and intention, and the extremely reassuring and pacific asseverations of Bismarck, have been a surprise as well as a great relief. Incredulously as this news was received at first, now that it has come to the visit *in propria persona* of the Emperor Wilhelm to St. Petersburg—a fact which has more weight in the eyes of the public than volumes of friendly interchanges of courtesy on paper—even the pessimists are beginning reluctantly to concede the possibility of arriving at some compromise. It is, however, necessary to see, even in this apparent condescension on the part of the young Emperor, only the very logical and rigorous carrying out of the plans cherished by his grandfather and Bismarck (*i.e.*) the leading of the Northern Bear in the way it should go, not by brutal pushing and shoving, but by the mildest and politest insinuations, and the most refined and honeyed flattery. The thing now is, to prevent Russia from forming an alliance with France, this alliance being the nightmare of Bismarck, and not without cause. The only way to forestall this very natural occurrence is to outstrip France, and propose to Russia a new triple alliance with Germany and Austria instead—a state of things which will absolutely tie up Russia's hands in regard to her interests in the East. This combination may succeed, and it may not. The plan of Bismarck, which is evidently to tighten the knots which unite Austria and Italy to Germany, secure the absolute neutrality of Russia, ignore England, and fall upon France next spring, when, deprived of allies, she will be entirely at his mercy, may be well calculated, but not easy of execution, because it is built upon the surmise of the perfect docility of Russia, and the certitude that she has not the slightest idea of her own interests. Bismarck has cheated Russia twice. Perhaps the third time it will not be so easy. In 1870 she received only the right of revising the Treaty of Paris, which had already lost all meaning. In 1878 Germany snatched from her all the results of her great sacrifices for the Bulgarians. Unless Russia is absolutely incapable of struggling in political life as an equal with European diplomacy, she will surely not walk this time straight into a third snare. The *Post*, the organ of Bismarck, explains to its readers that in his visit to Petersburg the Emperor Wilhelm has not been so much moved by political considerations as by family bonds between distant relations. Notwithstanding these assurances, however, the *Post* goes on to insist with some details upon the political motives of this most unexpected step, and allows that the young Emperor has the hope of consolidating thereby a lasting peace with Russia. "Wars," quoth the *Post*, "are born and ripen spontaneously, and are not engendered by the caprices of monarchs, or by the calculations of statesmen, they are caused by the necessities of national life." This may be true enough, but then Germany should cease repeating that she holds the peace of Europe in her hands, and it must be but a lame and unsatisfactory sort of peace that keeps all the world armed from top to toe. The *Post* also gives great importance to the fact that the Emperor will arrive by sea, and tries to give it the colour of a naval demonstration. The Russian papers are amazed at such a want of tact. "The peaceful arrival of German ships of war in the Baltic," says the *Novoe Vremya*, "especially on such an exceptional occasion, is a fact including in itself othing extraordinary, neither agreeable nor otherwise. Our Baltic ships will meet those of the German fleet without envy, and with feelings of goodwill."

The tone of the Russian press, however, in general towards the young Emperor of Germany has changed as if by magic from that of a distrustful, suspicious pessimism to that of cordiality, and even rather exaggerated idealisation; and that some of the hopes expressed, that have grown like Jack's bean stalk in the space of a few hours, are destined to be disappointed, is perfectly certain. One exception to the general enthusiasm is the surly *Moscow Gazette*, not that it has any particular political tendency since the death of Katkoff, but it makes a point of never agreeing with the "corrupt capital of the Empire." The Polish gazettes also preserve a certain degree of scepticism, and without denying the peaceful undercurrent of the Manifesto, find it passing strange that France should not even be mentioned therein, from which Europe must conclude that the relations between the Republic and Germany must be as bad as possible. The *Hour* (of Cracovia) predicts the moral isolation of France consequent upon the renewal of the triple alliance, and sees little cause to rejoice.

It is thought here in some political circles that the Emperor of Russia is averse to contract any alliance whatever, that Russia prefers to stand alone and not have her hands tied, but it is hardly likely such a course will be pursued, though not impossible.

The *St. James's Gazette* avers that the interview between the two Emperors has no other purpose but that of "settling" the Bulgarian question, which like a hideous nightmare hangs over Europe. Not by such means is that question to be settled. The problem how to satisfy Russia without weakening and, to say the word, ruining Austria, is one which the young Emperor will no more be able to solve than his predecessor. The domestic-political drama that is now being played in Servia testifies to the constant struggle between Russia and Austria for preponderance. The Queen, who has long since openly declared her sympathy for Russia, and who has ever done all in her power to manifest that sympathy, is now menaced by her Consort with repudiation. King Milan addressed himself to the Archbishop of Belgrade requiring to be divorced from his Queen, and that the heir should be taken from the maternal tutorship and given up to him. The Archbishop, afraid of offending Russia, refused to give his sanction to such a step. The Queen on her side refused to give her consent to the divorce, and sent word to her husband that her son should be taken from her only by force. She refused to see the envoys sent to her, and the position of King Milan (said here to be out of his mind, but that's doubtful) is critical, and his domestic quarrels with his wife furnish ample material for the heavy Russian wit. In a speech lately pronounced at a banquet King Milan acknowledges that the position of Servia is very critical indeed, that the state of the country is abnormal, that demoralisation has penetrated "even into the army." To render justice to the orator, he sees the real causes of all the evil not only in the everlasting intrigues of Russia, but also in the faults of the Servians themselves:—

"The evil from which we suffer is not so much the work of separate individuals, or even of one or another political party. It is the result of a whole series of political faults committed by us, and especially of the exceptional geographical and ethnographical conditions in which we are placed, which make of our country the stage upon which meet and struggle a thousand passions, and through which the torrent of European civilisation rushes towards the East."

It is a pity that King Milan confounds European civilisation with Russian and Austrian thirst of conquest.

The rouble, which has been gradually rising, reached yesterday the level from which it began to fall in January, 1887, when Mr. Vishnegradsky succeeded to Mr. Bunge as Minister of Finance. Until now no artificial means have been taken by the Government to prevent the discrediting of the Russian values, which have been left to take their headlong course downwards. Of course, the present rising of funds, as their preceding fall, is caused by reasons independent of the Russian financists, who have undertaken nothing worth speaking of to improve the state of things since the rapid discredit of the rouble began. The reasons of the slight amelioration now observed are the unfavourable state of the crops in Germany, causing a great demand to arise for Russian grain, notwithstanding the increase of duty upon this merchandise. Most likely the rouble will rise a little more, and get beyond the fatal figure of 200 marks for 100 roubles, to which a few months ago it was hardly hoped it would attain. The rouble will continue to rise, because Germany cannot all at once recover from heavy losses incurred by bad or indifferent harvests, and great destruction of property by inundations. According to the latest publications concerning the crops in Russia, an abundant harvest is expected; so that no doubt the export of grain will not be less than last year. Adding to these reasons the more favourable turn foreign politics seem about to take, giving the hope of the prolongation of peace for some time, the Russians begin to look with more confidence into the immediate future.

According to the accounts of the London grain market, good harvests are not expected either in the United States, in India, or in Australia, consequently there will probably be a general demand for Russian wheat and rye. As to raising the price of Russian grain, that is out of the question in the present state of organisation of this important branch of trade. The last two or three years the corn merchants and proprietors of cultivated estates complain of the great quantity of wheat that has remained upon their hands; but in fact no one has even an approximate idea of the quantity of grain garnered in Russia, nor of the state in which it is. The entire absence of elevators and other modern improvements cause incalculable losses yearly to Russian agriculturists, and those accounts which appear in some London commercial gazettes concerning this subject are founded on probabilities and possibilities, never on facts. It is very easy to know how much grain is exported yearly by Russia, but to say even approximately how much Russia produces, and to have even a remote idea of what is wasted or concealed, is quite another thing. There is no doubt that Russia could furnish Europe with grain if every other source were paralysed, supposing the trade of it to be organised, instead of being what it is now. The same can be said of mineral oil and many other productions in which the Empire is so rich. Never have such exhaustless treasures of nature fallen into more incapable hands, and rational trade in this country is almost entirely in the hands of Germans and Jews. Among the grain merchants and agents, hardly ever a Russian name is met with, and were it not for foreigners little enough would be done. Trading is considered as an occupation unfit for a man of even moderate intellectual capacities. As to the people, they lack the instruction and experience necessary for the most modest enterprise, and the only idea that is clear for them is that the capacity of cheating is the foremost quality and condition to become a good merchant. Every Russian shopkeeper tries to give short measure; if he does not succeed it is only thanks to the sharp look out of the buyer. The new measures adopted in Germany concerning the minimal weight of the Russian wheat, though they have raised a cry of indignation here, are perfectly legitimate. The reputation of the Russians as traders as well as bankers is deservedly bad. Credit in this country is paralysed, not to say murdered, by the repeated acts of dishonesty in all classes of society, and that is the real cause of the depreciation of Russian values, not Bismarck's intrigues. This truth is beginning to be understood; the public gradually ceases to render Germany responsible for everything that goes wrong. Efforts are being made to reform the abominable exploitation of the public by banks, which, instead of forwarding people's interests, reduce yearly thousands of families to beggary, and the Government has instituted strict revision over every new-born enterprise of the kind, and search into the validity of the foundations upon which they are erected.

The coal crisis which so occupies all the Russian newspapers is attaining dimensions quite unprecedented, and has lately been much aggravated by the satisfactory state of the harvests, for every peasant who has a chance to get occupation in the fields deserts the mines and returns joyfully to the rural toil to which he has been used, preferring twopence a day in "God's open air" to very considerable pay for work in the bowels of the earth. This desertion of the miners, whom no amount of coaxing or bribery will keep at a work they abhor, and which only absolute starvation will drive them to, has put a stop to the exploitation of coal mines in many parts of the south. Coal is received from England and passed off for Russian by some merchants disinclined to confess that they have had to stop work. The fact is that English coal in Odessa, notwithstanding the heavy duty upon it, costs cheaper than that of the Don, owing to the great expense of the exportation in the first place, and then of freight.

The great topic of the day in Petersburg continues to be the "Belgrade scandal," which, from a simple family difference, as it was long pretended to be considered, is fast assuming its real character, that of a clever political intrigue, in which the Holy Synod appears not unlikely to play a part. After the refusal of the Archbishop to obey the King, the latter addressed himself to some less scrupulous members of the clergy, and in a solemn conclave it was declared that the Church is competent to pronounce upon this question, and to grant the King his demand. But the Orthodox Church being one and indivisible, is submitted to rules which forbid the clergy to pronounce upon any political question. Besides that, according to the Greek laws of divorce, there exists no one of the three reasons which the Church acknowledges as justifying divorce, namely:—1. Proved infidelity of one or other of the parties. 2. Disparition of husband or wife during the space of seven years. 3. Incurably diseased blood on one side which may endanger the health or existence of the other. As none of these reasons exist, and the only pretext the King gives is the refusal of the Queen to promise not to return to Servia and her refusal to give up her son, it is quite impossible that a divorce should be lawfully pronounced. By committing this unlawful act the Servian Bishops violate dogmas of the Orthodox Church, and place themselves in a false position, even risking to be excommunicated by the Metropolitan. The Russian papers aver that the fact of this divorce being pronounced will not in reality deprive Queen Natalie of her title or her rights, but as she is Queen of Servia, and not of any other land, this reflection has but little importance. Who can fail to see in all this the hand of Russia? How could the Queen and the Heir to the Servian throne have placed themselves in open opposition to the King had they not been guided by some experienced hand?—whether good or bad counsellor time will show. Whether, if King Milan persists in the realisation of his projects, Russia will consider it worth while to break lances in honour of the Queen I cannot say, but that this affair will cause some disturbance is likely enough. The Queen is said in Russia to be popular among the Servian people, but this is one of those pleasant illusions the Russians persist in cherishing. If Queen Natalie has partisans, which no doubt she has, they must be sought in Russia, not in Servia. Both husband and wife are nothing but puppets in powerful hands. The papers here are very shy, however, of openly taking the part of the Queen. As I said before, a family private colouring was always given to this matrimonial comedy, but upon the news that the Servian bishop consents to divorce the pair public indignation could no longer be suppressed, and the Belgrade luminaries are menaced with all the terrors of which the church disposes to punish rebellious servators.

This summer the temperature has remained so abnormally low that it may be said there is no summer at all in Petersburg, but the prolongation of a cold, windy spring. As it is urgent for every family "to go to the country"—that is, to leave comfortable town lodgings, often with large shady gardens, for a forlorn wooden shed, through the ill-joined planks of which the wind blows the candles out, and one is fain to put up an umbrella in bed on rainy days—the city is entirely deserted, and the suburbs where the said country houses are clustered together by hundreds begin one after another to burn. In general, it is a remarkable year for fires. As in Russia nothing is done by halves, you never hear of a house having been burned down, but "a whole town, the inhabitants of which to the number of 8000 or 10,000 are camping in tents, and have nothing to eat." Russia burns every summer, but since 1881 there has not been such a year for fires as the present. The principal cause of all these fires is the insurance offices. As soon as a man has insured his house for double its value he sets it on fire without the slightest regard to the human beings inside, so causing the most distressful loss of life. Of course, the incendiaries who are caught are judged, condemned, and sent to Siberia, but not one in 10 is caught, and most of the catastrophes attributed to evil chance are the work of incendiaries or pyromaniacs. In Finland, where the laws are so severe, and where a man who sets a house on fire wilfully is shot down like a dog, fires are of very rare occurrence. There is no doubt that some more severe punishment should be devised in Russia against this sort of crime, so frequently committed as to render any feeling of security impossible out of large cities. I have been assured lately by a competent person that not more than half of the cases of fire are caused by accident, and that many are the fruit of premeditated crime, either with the idea of cheating the insurance companies or simply from revenge. As to the moujiks, they are accustomed to see their huts burned to the ground at intervals, as in other lands people accustom themselves to earthquakes, and one house destroyed, go and build another nicer and cleaner one. So simple are these huts and their furniture, and so easily replaced with the help of the insurance money (about 100 roubles), that the peasants suffer a great deal less from fire that the inhabitants of towns or large villages.

The grand festival which is to take place on the 15th July, in remembrance of the nine hundredth Jubilee of the Baptism of the Russians, seems likely to be exclusively of a religious character, though the programme first broached was of a much wider and more general interest. It seems that the clergy have monopolised the whole affair, and it does not appear to awaken any great interest among the public in general. Kieff, of course, will be the principal stage of the festival, then Moscow, then Petersburg. For the Church this will be an occasion to amaze and dazzle the spectators, whether they be the Russian populace or the foreigners arriving here in considerable numbers for the occasion.

It appears that the Emperor of Germany is expected here on the 18th of July. His Majesty will disembark at Peterhoff, from whence he will be invited to assist at a grand review at Krasnoi Selo. On the 19th he will be in Petersburg (incognito), to assist at a service in the Cathedral of the Fortress in memory of the Czar Alexander II. The next day will be that of his departure. From this it will be seen that the interview of the two Emperors, upon which so many hopes are built, is likely to prove a simple exchange of politeness and courtesy.

SOME SYDNEY CRIES.

BY VAURIEN.

From a Sydney suburban chimney one day last week came a cry that made old men pause to look round and middle-aged shopkeepers to forsake their counters and approach the pavement. "S-w-e-e-p, W-i-l-l-i-e w-e-e-e-p" proceeding from a small sooty person, who, having successfully wriggled through the orifice, sent his wee treble announcement into the crisp atmosphere, was the touch of nature that for a moment made aged pedestrians and aproned tradesmen kin. In an instant the glance of the mind, which, according to the poet, outruns the swift-winged arrows of light, traversed a hemisphere. For a moment Australia and its surroundings were forgotten, while the mature listeners hearkened once more to a cry with which their youth was familiar. Time was when small boys of tender age and slender development were induced to ascend London chimneys—so the popular opinion ran—by the simple plan of giving the lads a fair start and then lighting a fire in the grate to prompt them to proceed. As the heat ascended, the aspiring youths went with it, until they ultimately reached the top, while their unfeeling employers were methodically piling on fresh fuel below. The result of the British discovery, and of its consequent agitation, was that legislation was demanded for the purpose of limiting the employment of infants in chimneys. This Parliamentary interference was severely felt by the master sweeps of the United Kingdom, but much more severely by their apprentices. To climb anything—a fence, a tree, or wall—is a source of infinite pleasure to the young; but to climb a chimney has always been regarded as the highest happiness within reach of an ambitious lad. When the chimney, however, had to be climbed on the inside it was felt that every reasonable provision was made for the enjoyment of youth. It was, therefore, brought home to the British children of a generation or so ago that the legislative restrictions placed upon their vociferating "sweep" from the summit of a tortuous and elevated flue robbed childhood of half its innocent enjoyments. Year by year, as master sweeps were summoned and heavily fined for expediting the passage of their assistants through perpendicular openings by means of caloric, the practice of climbing chimneys at all fell gradually into desuetude. The foregoing explanation was necessary in order to show why it was that, when the well-remembered cry was heard from a Sydney suburban housetop, mature men, whose developments precluded the suspicion that they were training for a bicycle race, hastened to their shop doors to listen and observe.

There are street cries, however, which have defied time's inexorable march—which are as resonant and as rancorous to-day in this Sydney of ours, over 2000 miles south of the line of equal nights, as they were in a far more famous city in another hemisphere when old lexicographer Johnson was snarling at the success of the American rebels, and Bourke thundering his arraignment of Warren Hastings. To begin with 'bus-conductors. First, however, it may be as well to say that in all cities, British or foreign—whether with the north polar star high above their heads or many degrees below their horizen—the main object of all persons who shout their wares or their vocations in public appears to be to bawl unintelligibly. There may be a method in this unintelligibility. It may well be that the person who has fish to sell is not as simple as to suppose he will succeed in securing customers by stolidly calling "fish." There is such an amount of latent curiosity in human nature—particularly in the larger section of it—that the housewife who would not dream of approaching the front door on hearing a welll-articulated announcement, opens it with alacrity to ascertain the real purport of an ambiguous one. This is the itinerant vendor's chance. Once the mistress and he are brought face to face, the chances are entirely in favour of his inducing her to purchase a load of firewood when her chief desire was to obtain some cheap fruit. It is much the same as in a fashionable draper's shop where smart people are employed to sell handkerchiefs to customers desiring hats. Indeed, in many establishments the worth of an employee is gauged by his success in persuading purchasers of underclothing that it would be unwise to leave without buying an umbrella as well. Any simpleton, as tradesmen very justly remark, can serve a client with an article demanded. The true test of talent in an assistant is his ability to convince people who think they require certain commodities that other articles of quite a different kind are what they really need. This is well understood in Paris, where in some streets every second shop has *Ici on parle Anglais* demonstratively displayed in the window. The on, however, that so fluently converses in English is invariably off when the sturdy Briton who holds foreigners and their ways in such deserved contempt happens to drop in to make a small purchase. The bland and smiling shopkeeper, who craves a million pardons for the unfortunate absence of his English-speaking servant, rarely fails in disposing of some goods at a figure clearly below their real value.

The Sydney 'bus-touter, or cad—the latter word is used in its primitive signification—keeps prominently in mind the value of incoherence as an aid to business. By this means he occasionally obtains the custom of absent-minded elderly persons, who, anxious to reach Woollahra before the tram, secure cosy seats in vehicles bound for Forest Lodge or the Glebe. Now and then there occurs a smart interchange of compliments as the fares find themselves negotiating Brickfield-hill when they thought the Paddington Barracks were about due. The passenger, if a lady, and slightly deaf, not unfrequently punctuates her rather high-pitched views of 'buses and those who entice unsuspecting people into them by some far from conciliatory flourishes of whatever small parcels she may happen to have purchased in town. It is by no means uncommon for the strings of those packages to give way under the unlooked-for strain. Then matters become complicated. More than one case, indeed, is on record where the conveyance drove briskly on, leaving a respectable but obviously heated female opposite the railway station surrounded by a fair sprinkling of food of a nutritious but highly miscellaneous character. For reasons, too, which so far have baffled investigation, some conductors complicate their imperspicuity by means of a whistle. These tiny instruments are harmless enough to look at, but the sound they give when blown with sincerity is of a peculiarly spiteful kind. A loud and persistent whistle is irritating at any time, even when free from adornments or eccentricities. To this class belongs the shrill signal resulting from a crook in the index finger when inserted in a mouth of normal capacity. It is when the sound is made to imitate the trill of a song-bird—when, in a word, it resembles two twitters struggling for mastery in the barrel of the instrument—that the desire to reach the performer by the nearest route often takes possession of the mildest men. As there was a time when the tremolo in the female voice was considered an embellishment, so there may have been a period when the trill in the whistle was thought an improvement. The musician of to-day, however, sighs with regret that the discoverer of the tremolo did not die in infancy; and it is not too much to say that the chief hope left the Sydney public who are obliged to put up with the 'bus-cad's instrument is that the inventor may be condemned to sit by Acheron and whistle across the turbid waters to apprise Charon of the arrival of every fresh batch of passengers. Letters innumerable have been written to the metropolitan journals complaining of the gloom cast over city life by the trams' persistent shrieks. Let the writers allow sleeping dogs to lie. In an evil hour—everything is possible in a Democracy—a Railway Minister might arise who would order the motors to be furnished with tremor-whistles of the 'bus-boys' pattern. Then—but the subject is too gloomy to be pursued.

In the Sydney newsboys' cry there is little to differentiate it from that affected by lads similarly employed in other large cities. There is the same contempt shown towards the aspirate, the same tendency to put a fictitiously high value on the contents of the journal, and—alas! that it should be so—the same desire to yaup a "fourth 'dition" and sell a first. It is on holidays mostly that the marine touts get a fair opportunity for exercising their voices. On such occasions, however, should the sky be clear and the wind low, these vocally-gifted men come to the front with a heartiness characteristic of those whose callings bring them into daily contact with the restless main—a heartiness that makes amends for weeks or months of waiting. Jocund, too, are these deep-mouthed sea-dogs, and there is an honest ring in the sonorous assurance they give that the smartest boat in the harbour is "on'y awaitin' for you, sir, a'ore bein' orf." It is not so much the peculiarities of their cries as of their conduct and appearance that attract you towards these sincere fellows. Day in day out, these industrious men present the same unchangeable aspect. Whether the mid-summer sun is riding high or the June orb lying low in the heavens—whether the gay holiday-makers are flushed with December's sultriness, or muffled to meet July's chill—these unassuming mariners attend the trysting place with the same refreshing bagginess of pantaloons, the same uncompromising vendetta against collars. In the matter of braces, also, there is a similar unwavering loyalty. Emperors and kings pass away and are forgotten, nation rises against nation and man cries out for his brother's blood; but while humanity and fashions change, the hardy maritime commissionaires who, on fête days, crowd the Sydney wharfs, and uncompromisingly advocate the exceptional sea-going qualities of their respective crafts, show their unalterable attachment to one suspender—generally of leather, always broad, and invariably fastened, or rather hitched, to an abnormally massive bone button behind, and significantly wedded to an equally safe anchorage in front. In these days when the foibles of fools, in manners and dress, in science and belles lettres, are impudently paraded for public recognition, how pleasant to turn resolutely from wrangling sects and jarring philosophies in order to admire the consistency of humble men, who, in sunshine and in storm, boldly face the world with a resolute face and a single brace.

In the metropolis of New South Wales the cry of the peripatetic advertiser is seldom heard. The few sandwich-men who pursue their monotonous profession do so in a listless, apathetic way as if their hearts were not in the work. To this singular phlegm there appears to be but one honourable exception. This pushing servant seems determined to raise his calling from its present apparently ungenteel position and place it high in the list of vocations, to which an ambitious man might fitly devote his talents. He appears to be a foreigner of Eastern aspect, and, for aught I know, may be employed on the stage to take a share in illustrating some charming lectures. As a Galilean of the first century, he should have little difficulty in accommodating himself to the requirements of a middle-class Jewish household of that remote epoch. When first I saw him he was a Siberian peasant, struggling under a wealth of tailor's advertisements and a fur cap. He was an Arab—an untamed Bedouin of the desert—when I saw him next, and his voluminous turban not alone kept out the weather, but by means of an ingenious constructed revolving placard with a place behind for a candle, should his employer desire night-work, assured those anxious to procure strong boots for the approaching winter that articles similar to those worn by the crowned heads of Europe could be supplied by a George-street emporium at a nominal rate. Still, it is as a sandwich-man that he bids fair to reach fame and fortune, besides raising by his example the social status of a much-misunderstood class. With a board the size of a moderate gateway in front, and a similar one at the back for balance, he sidled through King-street in the interest of the amalgamated society of professional coal-lumpers, and doggedly opposed Asiatic labour. It was his cry that attracted and then riveted me. Indeed, but for it, he would have found no place in this paper. Nothing like it has been heard since the late Mrs. Hubbard, returning from the joiner's with a coffin for the dog she left dead at home, observed the deceitful creature sitting on the doorstep laughing scornfully. This man will certainly lead the sandwich industry in the niche it should occupy in a progressive community. But he will have to restrain himself—to begin his harangue an octave or so lower. Under the influence of certain sounds some men lose all self-control. The world might be searched in vain for a more law-abiding community than that of Sydney. It will be an evil day when any body of men in our midst presume to take the law into their own hands on the specious pretence that they can obtain no redress from the country's constituted authorities. Still, a crowd of inoffensive men, when strongly provoked, will often commit thoughtless and pitiless acts.

The city postman is sometimes elderly, often middle-aged. He walks instead of riding, and has no special cry. Not so the suburban letter-carrier, at least in sparsely-peopled outskirts. There he rides, is generally young, and from long practice can strike the B on the third line in the treble without the help of piano, or tuning-fork. His cry is a simple oh! which he first pitches to the required height, and then over the intervening fence. When no immediate response comes from the house he slides nimbly from his steed, rushes up the steps, gives a couple of sounding bangs at the door, cries "oh!" a major third higher, shoves the letters under, and retires. With the butcher's assistant and milkman he shares the smiles of natty domestics, although he is unfairly handicapped through having always to approach the front door while his rivals enjoy the privilege of serving goods at the back, where opportunities denied him are to be obtained for tenderness and dalliance. Owing, probably, to the daily privilege of communing with lovely woman over the back fence, the cries of the butcher, the milkman, and the baker are much softer and less defiant than the postman's. They seldom go above G, and are sometimes even articulated with sufficient clearness to make them almost distinguishable from one another. The Chinese hawker and the woodman are different. It is doubtful if either of these is much impressed with the necessity for making himself understood, or of modulating his voice so as not to arouse the ribaldry of his fellow-man. For the Chinaman there may be found some excuse. He belongs to a nation which delights in uncouth sounds, and so he cannot be expected to master the vocalisation of civilisation. To the end of time he will probably make "cabbage" a trisyllable, with "cabba" soft and low, while the ultimate "ge" is lost in the clouds. The woodman has no such excuse. He has heard street bands in the city and popular lecturers in the Domain. For him the plea of ignorance cannot be allowed. So long, then, as he leads his creaking, heavily-laden wain through highways and byways, and startles quiet people who never did him any harm with the hoarse and irritating slogan of "I-I-I-I would," he will remain a veritable suburban Ishmael—his cry against every man, and every man's cry against him.

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THROUGH CITY AND COUNTRY.

SOME IMPRESSIONS BY THE WAY.

AT ADELAIDE.

(BY OUR SPECIAL COMMISSIONER.)

I.

One can hardly understand the real value of a thing save from the advantage of distance. A large picture in a small room produces no dramatic effect. One must get the proper distance from anything in order to estimate it faithfully. "Auburn loveliest village of the plain" could only have been seen in its "loveliest" aspect when its admirer stood apart from it, perhaps on a little upland above it and beyond it, at sunset time, when there was the sound of evening bells and the children played upon the green. So in the din of a great city one cannot estimate it properly. The actor acts best when he has felt his way once along the lines of a great emotion, and there has come an inspiration and an impulse to some high artistic conception. He always afterwards imitates the first experience. Therefore, when one looks back, not at too great a distance, but just far enough away to get the true proportion of things, with such information as will give reasonableness and accuracy to conclusions, one is apt to be the better judge. What I have written heretofore about Melbourne I am not in the least disposed to withdraw. I believe it true; but I can see more decisively still at this distance how vigorous yet how sordid, how generous personally, yet how selfish politically, how ambitious, yet how unrestrained, how abundant in resource, yet how limited in purpose, she is. Never beat the hammer of Thor with fiercer repetition than does the trip-hammer of life beat in Melbourne. Anyone who has been in an axe factory, and has seen the burning furnaces, the bodies of the workers naked to the waist in the terrible heat, and has heard the tremendous palpitation of the hammers, can understand something of the nature of the business life of Melbourne. But is it healthy? I think not. The ironworkers cannot average seven years of life in the fierce sweating heat, and the high-pressure of life in Melbourne is forcing the health out of the existence of people as surely as the equatorial sun dries up the life of the white man. For coupled with the labour-loving, and legitimate enterprise there is in Melbourne that direful speculative spirit which drives the restless brain faster than the trip-hammer, and keeps the nerves of the population stretched to their utmost tension. All over the world, to use a Hibernianism, people are living themselves to death, and one is reminded of the mouse that one put in a jar of oxygen in school-days, and saw the little animal become intoxicated with the air, its body palpitate with too much life, and behold it finally drop dead with a bursted heart. Expansive and high-coloured as the illustration is, I do not think that it is too strong, too far fetched to point the moral. But in certain cities life is a more heated tumultuous thing than in others, and I believe Melbourne to be more unhealthy in its commercial and social atmosphere than any other city on this continent. Here in this capital of South Australia is quiet, repose, and here is a city of homes, where the sky comes down between the working-man's dwelling and that of his neighbour, and the pulse-beat of the people's life is normal, or not even quite that, perhaps a little too slow. But it is safe. As Richelieu says—"Safe and formal." Perhaps so, but still safe and healthy. The life of Melbourne is irritating in its restlessness and anxiety, an anxiety which springs from a fluctuating, experimental, and speculative system commercially. Strong, buoyant, full of nerve, prompt in action, impatient of control or resistance, Victoria is. A splendid colony it is, the garden, if it please you, of Australia in point of natural gifts and agricultural endowment, and what it lacks of solidity, and what it exceeds in sordidness will, her best friends must hope, be overcome by experience and the Conservatism that comes with age. The country that could produce a Black Wednesday must have some strange trials before it finds its real place of vantage and stability. So that when the Victorian, as he inevitably does, says to you, a stranger or a visitor,—"Well, what do you think of Melbourne? Isn't it a magnificent city?" and straightway carries you off to see, not only the city, but his fine house, and all its magnificent appointments, bear with him, he has only a little undue pride which the man who has worked hard and has achieved greatness out of little or nothing often has. There are worse diseases.

Leaving Melbourne was rather a relief, after all the excitement and official and social dissipation of Exhibition time. Already officialdom had departed mostly, and only the stragglers remained in the big city. Governors and suites, finery and fashion, had all gone their ways homeward to count the cost or lay plans for other enjoyments, and take up the daily fulfilment of life's contract. Upon the Adelaide train which I took one sunshiny afternoon, there was a Chief Justice, a Principal from a University in the land of sun, a member of the New South Wales Upper House, a couple of members of the South Australian Parliament, and some ordinary folk like myself. Ordinary people do not feel their ordinariliness, however, where surroundings for all are equal. Even a Governor or a Chief Justice when enduring the same sets of circumstances, and travelling under the same conditions, are not far removed from companionship and a oneness of sentiment. When, therefore, Jack has as good a berth or corner as the peer or prelate, he is apt to feel just the beginning of an equality which may make him bold beyond his province; nay, let him see that there are common grounds of meeting for all, whether they wear the star and ribbon or dress in homespun or linsey-wolsey. Well, the Adelaide sleeping cars are apt to increase a man's self-respect, if not his vanity. South Australia is generally looked upon as slow, but I can count several things in which she is ahead of her neighbours. She has better sleeping carriages, to begin with; she has better refreshment rooms; she has a better system of sewerage; she has a better method of conserving her natural resources, as evidenced in the conservation of forests and some serious attempts at the conservation of water; she is providing more or less completely and effectively for the education of agricultural students; she has a professor in music at her University; she has better roads; she has better organisation and discipline in her school system; she has had greater ambition and has undergone greater sacrifices than any of the other colonies in providing cable and railway communication. This is, I know, a heavy list. It is a long impeachment against the other colonies, and it requires substantiation. I may not be able to prove everything, but as I am only giving impressions here, they can be taken for what they are worth, and such information as I can gather and give upon the different points will uphold or disprove what I say. As for the railway carriages, hundreds of people in New South Wales can testify what this sleepy little colony has done. Travelling in them is a comfort, a decided comfort. Beautifully upholstered compartments for four give ample sleeping accommodation, and easy sleeping. The cars run so easily that one can write and read with great ease, and the whole movement of the train is rapid and regular. There is little swaying or jolting—no catastrophic movements. And as for expedition; well, we know nothing about it in New South Wales by comparison. Four berths are made up in about as many minutes, and one scarcely knows that it is being done. I remember twice of upper berths falling on lower berths on the New South Wales Southern line, and I keep the impression still of the ingenuity of profanity that followed hard upon the event. In South Australia things are done differently. Everything is safe and pleasant, and one can sleep almost as quietly as if in one's bed at home. Why have the two more eastern colonies been so far behind? The national life would be all the better for all the modern, mechanical, and artistic improvements that could be instituted. Dirty, careless, ungenial surroundings breed dirty, ungenial habits of life and degrade humanity. People are all the better for convenience and refinement. Just as nothing seems to vanquish a plebeian or a parvenu like studied courtesy, so nothing will conquer boorishness and rude habits of manner than life like surroundings which presuppose or demand what our good friend in literature, John Ruskin, would call "the culture of quiet habits and seemly tastes." Well, that is what South Australia is doing by the improvements she is making on old ideas in her little way. Let not people sneer at this little colony, it is on the right track. Hard times as she has had this last few years, her condition and appearance bespeaks all about comfort, orderliness, social refinement, and manliness of life.

But apart from these things, I wonder that, considered simply from the standpoint of public convenience, the people have put up with the poor sleeping car accommodation on our trains. That man will do a good thing for the public and for his country who will force the Railway Department, by the influence of public opinion, to provide what is possible and what is best in the line of sleeping cars which possess the most modern and most complete of improvements.

As for refreshment-rooms, South Australia heads the list. There is a good refreshment-room at Goulburn, on the New South Wales line, and at the Albury refreshment-room a good cup of tea, and a fairly-good meal, can be got. There is a descent though, in quality, at Junee and Seymour, and the up grade of value begins again when one leaves Melbourne for Adelaide. Leaving out the rooms where one can get a cup of tea and a sandwich, and selecting the regular meal rooms, one would pick out Ballarat in Victoria, and Murray Bridge in South Australia, as examples. I had tea at Ballarat and breakfast at Murray Bridge. The tea cost 1s. 6d. and the breakfast cost 2s. 6d., a difference of a shilling in cost and a difference of more than a shilling in value. The Victorian Government, in what might be suspected as a democratic spirit, has said—all people cannot afford to pay 2s. 6d., but most people can afford to pay 1s. 6d. In order not to make the many jealous or envious of the few, we will compel a uniformity, and, therefore, make an apparent equality. This conclusion may not be just, but it is the impression that one gets. There is a spirit of progressive Conservatism in South Australia, which is indicative of strength. Conservatism, however, in Australia is not what it is in England. In Victoria, for instance, the Constitutionalists or Conservatives are free traders, and the Liberals are protectionists; the radical wants exclusiveness, and the Tory wants freedom. The tokens on the medal are interchanged. It is not so easy to tell exactly how the division is in South Australia, because there are so many parties here, and protection has been an expediency cry, taken up by the far-seeking Mr. J. C. Bray, but carried to victory by Mr. Playford, who came in when Sir John Downer's Government was momentarily weak, on no particular platform save that of economy and good administration, and committed the country to protection afterwards—but of this later! We will return to our mutton—or our refreshments. The tea at Ballarat was fair, only fair. There was soup, half cold (though the train was in time), and steak or chops, with vegetables, or roast, and a cup of tea or coffee, and jam and bread and butter. For a railway lunch or tea perhaps this is sufficient. But the stern necessity in eating is well-cooked food, hot and fresh. The supper at Ballarat was not satisfactory altogether. It was a somewhat cheerless undertaking, though the attendance was prompt and good. I should say the mistake has been made in compelling the restaurant keepers to furnish a meal at 1s. 6d. I do not believe it can be done to pay at the price, hence but moderate fare. The South Australian lines have the same bill of fare for what they call their "counter refreshments," but with a charge of 2s. Then they have their "sundries at counter," which gives a sandwich the full size of the loaf for 6d., bread and butter at 3d., and coffee or tea at 4d. Now the charges for the "counter refreshments" seem a little stiff; but they are good and well-cooked, and excellently served. "Cheapness and durability" is not a good sign for a refreshment-room at a railway station. The durability generally applies to the meat. The traveller knows that he cannot get good food travelling unless he pays for it; but he wants it good when he gets it, and that is not always the case. It is, however, so with experience in South Australia. Yesterday I went up into the interior a hundred miles to see some vineyards and stud farms, and at Hamley Bridge and Riverton I got as good a cup of tea as I ever tasted, with milk which had cream, rich thick cream, on, and bread and butter, all for sixpence. Now there were little country stations, where homely rural people provided refreshments, but it was all good. As an example of the kind of food served for 2s. 6d. I will give it just as it is laid down by law, and let my readers judge for themselves. It is called the "Settable meal," and runs thus:—"Soup, or fish, or hot joint of beef, mutton, lamb, or pork; also potatoes, with parsnips, carrots, beans, or other vegetables in season; fresh white bread, butter, and cheese, and marmalade; salad, pickles, lettuce, celery, or tomatoes; ice during the hot season (mark, "ice"), full half-pint measure of S. A. claret, hock, or other light native wine; a large cup of tea or coffee. In lieu of the joint, chops, steaks, ham and eggs, sausages, cold ham, potted salmon, and preserved meat must be supplied when ordered. Table napkins either of linen or paper. And first, in regard to these table napkins, I would say that they were clean, and white, and dry, and freshly laundried. When I look back at the meal I ate at one of the Victorian refreshment rooms, with its cold soup, cold fish, tender but cold beef, and the vile condition of the table napkins, the contrast is a vivid one. Napkins clammy and blue and half washed are not particularly refreshing things. When, therefore, I regard my sensations as I ate a hearty breakfast at Murray Bridge in the early morning, I am convinced that it was something more than appetite that produced them, for to tell the truth there was no appetite till the food was placed on the table. Then the Murray cod and the juicy chops, and the well-flavoured coffee did their office, and I ate the meal of a healthy workingman; so did the Chief Justice on my right, and the principal beyond him, and the member of Parliament on my left, and the members of the Upper House, and the old lady with gold glasses whose smile became benignant as she saw the fare provided and tasted its quality. One could admire the scenery afterwards without dyspeptic pangs. After a good meal the world is bright. There was the Murray winding off among the hills; there were the cottages of German farmers, who have lived there for a generation, and who took up land under the old 80-acre system, and gradually accumulated the comforts of a home about them; frugal fellows like the Scotch, good pioneers, good citizens. The only thing the German has done that does not recommend him, is the fact of his having brought the stink-wort, a wicked weed, into the colony, for the purpose of curing bacon. It has not cured much bacon, but it has spread over a great deal of country, and like the harrow, wild mustard, and dandelion, is fit for nothing but to destroy crops. I was going to add thistles to the list (Scotch thistles), but they are benefactors instead of destroyers. So after all we have nothing to condemn the Scotchmen for as a pioneer, except, perhaps, for beating us all at a hard bargain. A gentleman who lately travelled in New Zealand, and a prominent stock farmer in the South Island, near Dunedin, told me that the Scotch thistle is doing a double office there. The cattle eat it readily, and it also plays a most profitable part in loosening the soil and adding to the facility and power of cultivation. The wort-stink does no such office, and therefore the German must suffer the condemnation of his fellow-citizens here. And here it might be mentioned that there is a very large population of the Germans both in the city and the country here. A generation ago hundreds of them came out under the scourge of religious intolerance, and settled in the hills of the Mount Lofty Range, where they have lived ever since as farmers, market-gardeners, and sheep-growers, and adding to the national prosperity. In some of the far suburbs of Adelaide one would think that one had stepped into a German village, so German is the life. Before going on to something else, I would like to say that the other colonies have something to learn from this colony in the matter of railway management so far as convenience is concerned, though, financially, the South Australian railways have not been a success.

In the journey from Melbourne to Adelaide we get glimpses of thriving towns, and a comparatively fertile country. The first of the important towns was Geelong, the inhabitants of which for some time past being called Geelongese. This name, however fit in euphony, was applied to them for their advocacy of a railway, which ultimately carried away their prosperity, and left them lamenting. But the Geelongese have always had pride enough to think that their burgh should have been the capital of Victoria. Perhaps they still look forward to being the capital of federated Australia. I am afraid federated Australia is far off. It is a dream which all the wakeful signs of the times do not point towards; it is not yet a deep-rooted thing, and nothing will make it a real issue till some great national danger rises. Then speeches will have some meaning and words some power. As yet, with the cut-throat policy of protection against each other, the colonies must of necessity be driven farther and farther apart. No such principle can exist without directly alienating the social and commercial companionship which should exist in these sister lands. It is all very well to talk of intercolonial free trade and protection against the world. Protection against "the world" means alienation also from the commercial community of England, free contact with which is indispensable to the proper equilibrium of trade. So, whether it is Geelong, or Adelaide, or Broken Hill, or Sydney that is to be the capital of Australia, we shall have to wait for many such events as the Chinese Conference, which called together representative men from all the colonies, to overcome the constant action that is going on towards the elimination of a common commercial sentiment throughout the Continent. In Victoria, we saw, in passing, stretches of wattle planted along the railway line. These had been planted as an experiment, and it has proved successful. The bark is used for tanning, and is valued at £7 per ton. It is better than the oak bark, and is fast coming into universal use, while large quantities of it are shipped to England and elsewhere. In South Australia, there are a great many wattle plantations, and it bids fair to become a prosperous industry here. We passed a good deal of mallee scrub land on the journey, as well as fine farm land. While speaking about the Germans I forgot to mention the care which they take of their farming implements and stock. The first thing a young Englishman does when he comes out here and takes up land is to make himself comfortable first, to build himself a good house, and surround himself with conveniences, and his stock and appliances of his trade are the last thing thought of; but with the German it is different. He is content with wattle and dab, with a mud hut, with a hole in the ground, indeed, so that his stock is well cared for and his implements properly housed. It was painful to see both in Victoria and South Australia along the railway line and in the journey south yesterday, over the beautiful plains, the farming implements, strippers, rollers, harrows, ploughs lying out in the bad weather uncared for. That is slovenly farming. No matter that the fields were green, and the wheat bid fair to be a good harvest. No matter that the houses stand in gardens, where were the brogmanshia, the heliotrope, the flame-tree, the tea-roses, and the sweet-smelling carnation, if the tools of the workmen were left the sport of the elements, and as the sign of the sluggard. This is no land of frugality or of economy. But of that later on. The mallee scrub, it is not unlikely, will become more valuable than it has in the past. It is a fine wood to burn, particularly the roots, and if a coal famine should fall upon us owing to this unfortunate trouble with the colliers, the colonies will have to depend upon it. Of it there is fortunately no lack, and it can be laid down in Adelaide for from 6s. to 8s. per ton. Its value, too, as a heat-giving power is about one-half that of coal, so that if the supply were constant there would be no great loss to the community generally. It would be the steamers and the gas companies that would feel the calamity most. In Adelaide there is no excitement regarding the strike, and people are prepared to face the thing squarely, though sympathy it can be safely said is not at all with the workmen. In fact, Adelaide is not a place where the people would get very excited. One felt that as one looked out towards it, 1500ft. above the level of the sea, on Mount Lofty, and when we came winding down past the pretty residences, and the quiet places where the market gardener had comfortably ensconced himself, we felt we were coming to a steady and even slow but healthy city, socially, politically, and commercially. The impression regarding the latter might be disturbed by after inquiry and study, but one received it nevertheless.

One of the first things that would naturally strike the stranger in Adelaide, and which has struck me in the twice that I have visited it, is the cheapness of cab-hire. It is carefully regulated by the Government, and, what is more, the regulations are lived up to. One can get a hansom cab for three hours for 10s., and 2s. 6d. per hour after, and a waggonette can be procured. As much may be said for Melbourne also, but the Melbourne cabbies are a trifle sharper than those of Adelaide, and take advantage of a stranger. I think Sydney to be, generally speaking, the most unsatisfactory of the three places in this respect, not because the prescribed rates are so much higher, but because the cabby is more grasping. He seldom is satisfied with his regular fare. For instance, what cabby is content with a shilling to the top of William-street from the Post-office? and yet that is his proper fare; or with less than 2s from any club to the Redfern station? and yet he is not entitled to so much. The Adelaide cabbies are obliging, courteous, and careful drivers, and they deserve to be well commended. It is like Hobart in this respect, and it impresses the traveller pleasantly. I drove out in the country nearly six miles yesterday to see an olive grove and a vineyard, remained an hour and a-half, and drove back, and the cabby charged me 10s. The waggon is what was generally known as a Victoria, and there were two horses. It would have cost the same if there had been two persons going. The travelling was far more luxurious than that by a hansom, and yet it was greatly cheaper than the Sydney hansom. I never had the moral courage to quarrel with a cabby, that is to quarrel and triumph, and the reception given me here by the Jehus has given hope for them as a class and more confidence in myself. There is a healthy appearance about the city which is refreshing. Everything is as green as a bright sun and plenty of rain can make it. It is a pity the same cannot be said of the interior, for business men and station holders tell me that up country there is no rain, that all up the Darling country there is no grass, that from Menindie to Bourke no patch of grass is seen to refresh the weary waste of sand, and the river is nearly dry. How different from two years ago, when the river was a rude, deep brawling stream that rose above the banks and flooded the country for miles on either side, when the river plains were carpeted with a miracle of native flowers, and far and near on the wild country between Wilcannia and Menindie, Sturt's pea with its flaming top, was seen, and the sandalwood tree and the myall and the yarrah were washed of their dust, and the pall of grey was lifted from the land. I somehow dread to face the desert desolation, because the memories of that far west were kind ones, and I had seen the squatter at his best. But I shall be in the midst of it in a day or two. I shall see Broken Hill and the mines where more than shafts have been sunk; shall see the crushers that crush more than ore, shall find the places where men have made fortunes, and where others have lost more than they ever had. But unless one gets into the heart of the business circle here, one does not know of the working of the forces that help to give prosperity to this colony, or cast a cloud upon its hopes. Broken Hill was expected to do much for Adelaide, and it has done something, but not nearly as much as was anticipated. Sydney supplies far more goods to Broken Hill than does the capital of South Australia. Adelaide ought to have profited more. There are smelting works not far from Adelaide where the ore is melted down, and so the city gets a good deal of benefit from the mine that turns out its 90,000oz. of silver weekly. Hope is high here regarding the return of these mines, and the heart of the population has been made happier during the last week from the announcement of the Treasurer in the Assembly that there is a surplus of £173,000. There have been hard times here for several years, and the people have been forced to learn the lesson of economy. They have been stopped in luxurious courses, and have been made to understand that fortune is not with them always. Public and private enterprise has been crippled, and retrenchment has been the order of the day all round. Mr. Playford then has pleased the community by giving it a surplus of revenue. As the result of the protective tariff, it may not be so enduring as the country could hope, but it gives hope, and that is all-important. The public debt is large here, but not large considering the magnitude of the public works entered upon, such as the transcontinental telegraph and railway. £19,397,700 of a public debt looks startling for a small colony of 300,000 of population; but it is not indebtedness, strictly speaking. There are assets: the railways and the telegraph lines stand there to represent the money, and though as yet they do not pay, some day perhaps they will. Concerning the Assembly here, there is something which our own Parliament might take into consideration. It meets at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and rises at 6.30 as a rule. Blessed observance. We might have better legislation and less ferment and discord and insanity if our Assembly confined its labours "as a rule" to the same hours. It could be done if the policy of give and take were pursued, if both parties resolved to fight only on great issues, and let details be the quiet labour of men who sought the common good, and not political ends only. Commercially, Adelaide is not sound, and the most patriotic of men say that the soundness is not cured by the fact that so many stand at the street corners, and cry "Ichabod." Catch a Victorian doing that! He has too much pride, too much ambition, too much self-confidence. Unhappy is that country or that city where the people, like the Israelites of old, hang their harps on the willows and refuse to sing. The world believes in you very much as you estimate yourself, provided you have resources and are willing to fight for the portion you demand; and so I do not wonder that sensible, intelligent, and loyal men feel that injustice is being done to the city by the children of its own household. But looking upon Adelaide with the eye of the uninitiated, one would say that it was most prosperous, most contented, and most homelike. It preserves the last of these qualities to an extraordinary degree; and there is no swagger of any sort, from the Governor down. There are some fine men here, too, able, thoughtful, representative men—men that remind one, for their sterling merit, of the President of the New South Wales Legislative Council; men such as Sir Samuel Davenport, Sir Henry Ayers, Chief Justice Way, the Hon. William Angas, Sir John Morphett, and others; men of courtly presence and steadiness of thought; men who are the backbone of the moral and social life of the community.

WOMAN'S COLUMN.

THE EARLY TRAINING OF GIRLS.

In one of his latest books ("Katherine Regina") Mr. Walter Besant says that women will "hate, loathe, and detest every kind of work except one," and that if they have to work for pay and under orders, they will be unhappy. The only solution he can offer to the problem of what is to become of the ever-increasing number of women of the educated class who are thrown on their own resources, is simply that they shall all take to themselves husbands able and willing to support them. A writer of Mr. Besant's reputation and abilities ought to have known that the preponderance of women over men in most parts of the civilised world renders his scheme practically impossible to carry out, unless the Mormon system were introduced, which no doubt was very far from Mr. Besant's intention or desire. The question we really have to deal with is not whether the married state is or is not the happiest for a woman, but, admitting that a large number of women are born annually who are destined to lead single lives, what can be done to enable those women to earn their own living with some degree of comfort? It must be remembered as a general rule, although women are accused of extravagance and love of luxury, that a single woman is content with a very much smaller income than a single man; and it should also be borne in mind that a life of hard work is not necessarily a cheerless and unhappy one. On the contrary, some of the happiest women in the world have been those who have had their time most fully occupied, and have had no leisure in which to brood over their misfortunes. The only remedy for the existing state of affairs which can be of real and permanent value is for every girl to be trained to some employment by means of which she can, if necessary, gain her livelihood. It will perhaps be urged as an argument against this plan that no one can tell which girls will be called upon to work for themselves, and which will always be provided for, either by marriage or by their parents' exertions; but this is really no argument of any weight, since it will readily be acknowledged that no girl is any the worse off for the knowledge of some trade or profession, and also that marriage is very far from constituting a perfectly reliable safeguard against poverty. At present in England, and in the English colonies to a considerable extent, the paths open to girls who wish to maintain themselves are very few; in fact, any girl thus wishful of obtaining employment is nearly always told "to teach." It is not, as a general rule, considered necessary to inquire if she has the necessary qualifications for teaching; that is to say, not merely a certain amount of knowledge, but the tact and patience which are absolutely requisite if she is to teach with anything like success. The consequence is that the market is completely over-stocked with teachers, many of them wholly incompetent, and many others knowing themselves to be deficient in some branches of education. You may frequently go into a house where the cook is paid £1 a week, and the governess about half that amount. On the other hand, while you hear frequent complaints from the heads of households of the increasing difficulty of obtaining competent servants, everyone is aware of the painful fact that the number of applicants for the situation of governess is far in excess of the demand. Not long since the *Sydney Morning Herald* contained in its advertising columns an announcement to the effect that 92 applicants for a certain situation as governess were informed that it was filled. It might be worth the consideration of these disappointed 92 if it would not be possible for them to find a more satisfactory outlet for their energies in another direction. For instance, some of them might try domestic service. I do not mean as lady helps. A lady help is an anomalous being, who belongs neither to the kitchen nor to the drawing-room. But there is no reason why a lady should not be a good cook, and there are probably few who with a little practice could not become excellent parlourmaids. Of course, this suggestion is only made as affording one means of escape from the dilemma, being one which would only commend itself to those who had divested themselves of the erroneous notion that there is anything derogatory in domestic work any more than in any other honest employment. In Mr. Besant's ideal state of society, he tells us plainly that women would be entirely dependent on men, and from the manner in which he makes this proposition it might be supposed that such a condition of affairs was at present unheard of. Everyone knows, however, that the contrary is the case. A very large majority of women are at the present time either wholly or partially dependent upon men; and with what result? Precisely that which any reasoning being would expect—that when through any cause their support is withdrawn, these unfortunate creatures are utterly helpless. If all the men who have wives, daughters, or other female relations to maintain, could be absolutely certain of always earning sufficient money for themselves and the aforesaid female relations, and could also enjoy a complete immunity from sickness and death, then Mr. Besant's ideal state would be possible. But as the world is at present constituted all men are not able even to support themselves, neither are they all willing to do more, even when they can. There is always the chance that a woman, through the illness, death, or misconduct of her husband, may be called upon to provide for herself and her children, and in nine cases out of ten the only advice her friends can give her under the circumstances is to open a boarding-house. It is in fact about the only thing she is fit for. In the tenth case we will suppose that the would-be breadwinner has in her girlhood received a thorough training in some particular branch of knowledge, or in some accomplishment; by means of this she will be enabled to earn at least a fair and possibly handsome income, and preserve, in addition, the sacred privacy of her home, which the poor boarding-housekeeper is powerless to do. These facts all point to one inevitable conclusion, that so long as society continues on the same basis as at present, girls must be trained to follow some trade or profession immediately on leaving school, otherwise there will be a constant increase in the ranks of those weary, worried, and miserable women to whom life is a burden and a struggle. If Nature, as interpreted by Mr. Besant, designed every woman to be a wife and a mother, it is self-evident that Nature has made singularly ineffectual attempts to put her design into execution, and this justifies us in seeking some other explanation of her intentions. Although, as has been previously stated, the number of occupations as yet open to women is comparatively limited, still there are some which are not so eagerly sought after as to render them over-full. Photography, for instance, is sometimes practised by ladies for amusement; with a little more study it might be made a source of income. Retouching is also a remunerative employment for which women are specially suited. Those girls who display an aptitude for music, art, or a learned profession, should if possible be encouraged to follow their tastes, but in all cases it must be remembered that early training is absolutely indispensable. It is no more possible for a woman than for a man to take up, say at five-and-twenty, a profession for which she has undergone no previous preparation whatever. You do not take a boy of 15 or 16 from school, allow him to remain for four or five years without any other occupations than those of playing lawn tennis in the day time and dancing at night, and at the end of that time say to him suddenly, "Now go and work for your living." If you did such an exceedingly foolish thing you could hardly be surprised if the young fellow failed to carry out your commands and blamed you for his incompetency. Yet, though you cannot be sure that your daughter may never be obliged to support herself, you allow her to grow up without any qualifications for doing so, and encourage her in the belief that nothing of the kind will ever be necessary. Can you wonder that if she does not marry, and is compelled to work for her living, the poor thing is woefully disappointed? She feels that she has failed in her mission, because she has been taught that it is every woman's mission to marry, and attributes the failure to some fault in herself instead of in her training. I do not say that any kind of work, however congenial, will supply to a woman, that is, to an average woman, the place of husband and children; but I must reiterate that, under existing circumstances, every woman who neither has nor hopes to have family ties, must be the better for it in every way, and cannot possibly be the worse for it whatever happens. If the experiment indicated in these lines should be tried, there is little reason to doubt that it would result in a diminution of those numbers of unhappy and dissatisfied women who are to be met with everywhere, and there need be no apprehension that there would be a corresponding falling-off in the number of good wives and mothers.

NOLA.

LADY BELLAIR'S GOSSIP WITH GIRLS.

The Woman's Column affords us an opportunity of furnishing some passages from a book entitled "Gossip with Girls and Maidens," by Lady Bellair. The volume is dedicated to her sons, with the hope that the ideal woman she has endeavoured to pourtray in its pages will help them to judge wisely when choosing a wife. Book the First is entitled "Girlhood," and is especially addressed to girls of 13 to 18 years, impressing upon them that those years are the most important. It is then that their characters are formed for good or evil, and the foundation is laid of their mind and body. Upon this depends the happiness or unhappiness of their future lives and the lives of those who may be dependent upon them. Girls should be made to feel how much they can do for themselves, and realize that "no one comes into the world equal or perfect"—therefore it is for ourselves "to find out our weak points, to develop the good and eliminate the bad"—It is certainly to our own advantage to make the very best of our life, and to improve ourselves and our position as much as we can, instead of sitting still and railing at Fate, as so many do, without making any effort to better their circumstances. Noble souls conquer circumstances; only the ignoble allow circumstances to conquer them. "The foundation of success in anything and the main cause why one is able to rise above another lies in the possession of two inestimable qualities—the power of concentrating the attention on any given subject or pursuit, and the habit of perseverance in steadily and patiently following up your object until attained." Though genius and talent often come to the front and take high positions in life, in many instances ability of this kind leads the possessor into careless habits of doing only fitful work, thus allowing the patient plodder to take the prizes, and exemplifying the fable of the hare and the tortoise. Then follows a list of habits girls should cultivate and others to be avoided, with advice on self-education. Reading aloud Lady Bellair esteems highly as being not only healthy for the lungs, but also good for the mind and accustoming the tongue to correct pronunciation. The habit, she says, is by no means sufficiently practised, and the result is that few ladies have the art of reading aloud effectively and intelligently. "A good reader merges his personality in his subject, and by suitable modulations of his voice gives emphasis and points where they are wanted, and so rivets the attention of his audience to the words he utters." All will admit that a woman has many opportunities of turning this valuable accomplishment to use. It would often be a much greater pleasure at evening parties to hear a girl read poetry or striking prose well, than sing or play indifferently. The same gift is invaluable when an invalid relative or friend requires more than the attentions of a nurse and doctor. The monotony and weariness of the sick-room could be made to give place to brightness and pleasure for the sufferer, and the reader be doubly rewarded by the gain of being able to express herself in ordinary conversation more easily, and in more forcible or elegant language than young girls usually do. "To achieve a high standard for either singing or playing requires constant and long practice, and if girls have not singular aptitude for those accomplishments, it is far better to devote their time to what they are more likely to excel in." If girls would enter thoroughly into whatever they do, feeling that they must at least master one thing, this would give them a confidence that would drive away self-consciousness, which lessens so often a girl's attractiveness. With regard to health, Lady Bellair is of opinion that the reason boys grow up stronger and better formed than girls is that they are treated more rationally, and allowed to indulge in healthy games and exercises. Many of the narrow shoulders, flat chests, and pale complexions of girls would be avoided if they understood the value of gymnastics, which conduce so much to grace and beauty of carriage as well as health. The second book is headed "Maidenhood," and is addressed to young women from 18 to 25, setting forth their duties in life, and the wisdom of rendering themselves attractive in mind and morals. Every girl cannot have personal beauty, but all girls can make themselves attractive and beloved. A cultured mind, good health, expression and tender feeling, animation, fun, and humour, all tend to make plain features if not beautiful, very charming. On the other hand, discontent, want of culture, bad health, can never fail to cause ugliness. Regular habits and hours are highly necessary for health and beauty. Alfred the Great divided the day into three parts—eight for work, eight for rest, and eight for meals and recreation. This is an excellent plan. It is only by a systematic use of our life we can hope to make any headway. Lady Bellair points out the necessity of avoiding contact with anything wanting in refinement, whether in books or companions, and quotes Emerson, who says,—"It makes no difference in looking back five years how you have dieted or dressed, whether you have been lodged on the first floor or in an attic, whether you have had gardens and baths, good cattle and horses, have been carried in a neat equipage or in a ridiculous truck, these things are forgotten so quickly, and leave no effect. But it counts much whether we have had good companions in that time almost as much as what we have been doing." The art of talking well is by no means cultivated as it should be. "To talk well one must have a trained voice, and be well bred and well educated. Think well before you speak, and your words will be expressive and to the point. Tact and good feeling will tell you what to talk about and what subjects to avoid, when to speak and when to leave off. There are many women who seem to think fascinating conversation consists in a rapid flow of words without a thought as to their appropriateness or regard for people's feelings." Young persons should always express their opinions and criticisms modestly. Age and experience alone qualify for confident assertion. The expressions of immature judgment often bring ridicule, and damage a girl's matrimonial prospects. This fault has given rise to the impression that men dislike a highly educated woman, whereas it is not the education but the manner in which some women obtrude their knowledge. The third book is entitled "Married Life," and is advice to girls who are about to marry. The authoress warns girls that although a pretty face may secure their settlement into homes of their own sometimes, it never strengthens love, nor makes a husband happy, unless it is allied to qualities of character which outlive all personal beauty, and are more valuable. Behind a pretty face there must be a sound mind and body for the wear and tear of life. In this section servants and mistresses are discussed, and the proper method to secure good servants. The last chapter, or book as it is called, deals with independence and occupation, showing the numerous avenues there are now opening for women workers—openings in which women, if they are persevering and industrious, can earn good incomes. This chapter is very interesting and useful. Altogether Lady Bellair is to be thanked for her work, and we hope that the outline we have drawn will induce many girls and young women to peruse it for themselves, and profit by the sound advice given in it.

THE EXHIBITION OF WOMEN'S INDUSTRIES.

The one department of the women's industries, to the details of which we have not yet drawn attention, is that which from time immemorial has been deemed especially the province of women, namely, domestic industries, in which the preparation of food is the chief. The very term "lady" is a form of an old Saxon word meaning a "server of bread," and in that "ideal state of society when every man will have a wife and every woman a husband, the husband will be the breadwinner, and the wife the breadmaker." Within the present generation the breadmaking has passed very much into the hands of men, and more recently machinery has been made to relieve both men and women to a large extent. Still, in a young country like Australia breadmaking ought not to be a forgotten art amongst our women, and the committee have wisely included bread-making and the time-honoured work of the dairy—in which also machinery has lately made great revolutions—in their women's industries.

There are inducements offered to girls and women of all ranks to compete in these homely but honourable arts; also in the preservation of fruits in various ways, in the making of cakes, puddings, and in the preparation of a numerous class of articles collectively summed up by cooks as "the sweets." The trussing and cooking of poultry, fish, and the ordinary meats, breakfast, luncheon, and supper dishes are included, and on special days competitors will be invited to try their skill in the making of various dishes at the Exhibition-building, which, after examination by judges, will be available in the refreshment department.

In Australia, as in America, the servant difficulty is ever increasing, and the most effectual way to meet this is so to dignify and elevate work of all kinds as to lead the great middle class, who are unfortunately too much disposed to look with contempt upon efficiency in domestic management, to take a pride in making themselves skilful workers, skilful cooks, able to teach the untrained servant girls of the present day, and to win the respect of those they employ by their ability to impart knowledge which the employees should possess, rather than, as is too often the case at present, scolding them for their ignorance. In former days the daughters of the farmers of England were invariably mistresses of domestic industries and proud of their achievements. In later years, especially in the colonies, the cry for "higher education" has resulted in the acquirement of a smattering of many things, and through the multiplication of pianos into many wasted hours over what has been falsely termed music, the daughters of our artisans are more skilled in crochet than cooking, and prefer making cushions to custards. Yet how many homes are made miserable through the ignorance of, or the total disregard by, the wife of the very homely acquirements which as a girl she has despised.

Bills of fare suitable for family dinners during the month of October, the preparation of tea, coffee, and cocoa, the mysteries of cold meat cookery also come within the scope of this department, for which the awards of silver and bronze medals and diplomas will be given as first, second, and third prizes.

This department also embraces laundry work, and competitors are invited to exhibit specimens of clear-starching and the getting-up of underclothing, of infants' robes, ladies' gowns, gentlemen's shirts, curtains, flannels, &c., and also of linen folded and prepared for the iron.

Special prizes have been supplied by friends, of which particulars will be published shortly.

In addition to the exhibition of prepared food, and the cooking of special dishes day by day, this department is intended to cater for the refreshments required by the visitors to the Exhibition—excepting so far as the ladies in charge of the tearoom will supply their wants—and already the delegate has received promises from ladies and gentlemen who are interested in encouraging the practice of cooking amongst young ladies, that they will during the Exhibition give dinner and luncheon parties in the department.

With few exceptions, the published works on cookery are by men, and it cannot be denied that M. Soyer was one of the greatest benefactors to the public by his practice and publications. There is, however, in this exhibition an opportunity for the girls and women of New South Wales to show their capabilities in the art, and they may be assured that in becoming mistresses of the art of cooking they are placing within their own hands one of the surest means to domestic happiness, for unpoetical as it may sound, it is undoubtedly true that a well-cooked dinner, no matter how simple the viands may be, is one of the home comforts most appreciated by a man; and that the saying that "the best way to a man's heart is through his stomach," if not elegant, is true. One other branch must be mentioned. A special prize is offered to the best carver, and this is done with a view to encouraging women to make carving a profession, or means of a livelihood. How many ladies have had to mourn the disfigurement of their walls, the staining of their carpets through the careless carving of the hired waiter, at a dinner party. A skilful carver would avoid both evils, and the occupation is one from which no woman, who has to earn her living, need shrink. If women who belong to the "superfluous" class; that is the excess who do not find husbands, will throw aside false delicacy, will consider work honourable, and not be ashamed to own that they work for payment; the re-action will soon set in, and the half reproach which at present attaches to an educated woman who earns her bread will be a thing of the past. Every woman who shews skill in any industry is entitled to respect, and to the great majority the art of boiling a potato is of more value than to play a sonata, though—and this is what women must learn to feel—both are equally attainable by the same individual.

AUSTRALASIAN ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF SCIENCE.

The newly-formed Australasian Association for the Advancement of Science, the aims and objects of which are in a great measure similar to those of the Royal Society in England, will commence its first meeting on Tuesday next. There are at present 10 sections in connection with the association, as follows:—Section A, astronomy, mathematics, physics, and mechanics; section B, chemistry and mineralogy; section C, geology and palæontology; section D, biology; section E, geography; section F, economic and social science and statistics; section G, anthropology; section H, medical and sanitary science; section I, literature and fine arts; section J, architecture and engineering. The president of the association is Mr. H. C. Russell, of the Sydney Observatory; the vice-presidents are—Hon. Dr. Agnew, president of the Royal Society of Tasmania; Sir Frederick Darley, Chief Justice, New South Wales; Sir James Hector, director of the New Zealand Institute; Professor W. C. Kernot, President of the Royal Society of Victoria; Hon. James Inglis, Minister of Public Instruction; Hon. Sir William Manning, Chancellor of the Sydney University; Dr. H. N. McLaurin, Vice-Chancellor of the Sydney University; Alderman John Harris, Mayor of Sydney; Professor E. H. Rennie, President of the Royal Society of South Australia; and the President of the Royal Society of Queensland.

The first general meeting will be held in the Great Hall of the Sydney University, on Tuesday next, at 8.30 p.m., when his Excellency the Governor will welcome members from the other colonies, and the president will deliver the inaugural address. The members of the association are, however, invited to assemble on the afternoon of the same day, at a garden party given by Mrs. H. C. Russell, at the Observatory. On this occasion there will be exhibited the astronomical instruments in use at the old Parramatta Observatory many years ago, which have been carefully preserved, and the members of the association will have the opportunity of comparing these with the improved instruments of the present day, as used by Mr. Russell and his assistants. On Wednesday, at 11 a.m., there will be presidential addresses in the following sections:—Section A, by Mr. R. L. J. Ellery; section C, by Mr. R. L. Jack; section D, by Professor Tate; and section F, by Mr. H. H. Hayter. In the evening members are invited to attend a meeting of the Linnean Society; also, to a reception by his Worship the Mayor, at the Town Hall. The business for Thursday comprises Presidential addresses at 11 a.m., in the following sections: Section B, by Professor Black; section E, by Hon. John Forrest; section G, by Hon. Dr. Agnew; Section H, by Dr. Bancroft; section I, by Professor Boulger; and section J., by Professor Kernot. In the evening Sir James Hector will deliver a popular lecture on "The Volcanic Eruptions in the Hot Lake District of New Zealand." On Friday there will be papers read before the various sections from 11 to 1, and in the evening there will be a popular lecture by Professor Spencer, on his "Recent discoveries on the Pineal Eye;" and a meeting of the association will be held to make arrangements for the next meeting. On Saturday, September 1, there will be papers read before the sections, from 11 to 1. A meeting of the general committee will be held at the Royal Society's House on Tuesday, September 4, at 4.15 p.m.; and in the evening of that day a lecture on "Emin Bey" will be delivered by Sir Edward Strickland. A conversazione of the Royal Society, to which members of the association are invited, will be held in the great hall of the University on Wednesday, September 5, at 8 p.m.

In addition to the severer labours of the association, the members will have the opportunity of taking part in a series of excursions, which have been arranged for at almost nominal cost. On Thursday, August 30, there will be the following excursions:—A, Prospect dam and reservoir; B, trip round the harbour and Parramatta River; C, fortifications at Middle Head; D, dredging and fishing excursion. The excursions for Friday are—E, Sewage Farm at Cook's River; F, the Clyde Works at Granville; G, the new gasworks at Mortlake. On this day two four-day excursions will start—H, to Jenolan Caves; I, Bulli Pass, Wollongong, Kiama, Cambewarra, and Wentworth Falls. The excursions for Saturday are—J, the junction of the Warragamba and Nepean rivers; K, spot where Cook first landed; L, Ben Buckler's and La Perouse; M, Newport, via Manly and Pittwater. There will also be three excursions start on this morning, to be away until Monday; N, to the Blue Mountains, Wentworth Falls, and Govett's Leap; O, to the Hawkesbury; and P, to the Newcastle collieries. On Monday, September 3, a two-day excursion (Q.) will start for Clifton, the Bulli Collieries, and Wollongong. It will thus be seen that the association have a good programme of work before them, and, judging from the energetic manner in which the general committee has been at work, a highly interesting and successful gathering may be expected.

MOSS VALE-ROBERTSON RAILWAY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I have reason to believe that when the above line is sent for final survey the Government will be assisted in making it both popular and profitable. The interest of the proud peer and bold peasant will be alike conserved. Again thanking you for past favours, I am, &c.,

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AS YOU LIKE IT.

"Ay, marry, now unmuzzle your wisdom."—ROSALIND.

It was not lightly said a few days ago in this column, or without adequate pains having been taken to get at the truth, that the then threatened and alas! now accomplished strike of the Northumberland miners had been premeditated and the "federal sympathy" prearranged. Those who knew much of what for months past had been fermenting in the miners' lodges, and how the mining atmosphere had been surely and not slowly accumulating dangerous electricity, knew that the first large development of trade would be chosen as the opportunity either for a general strike or a threat of one. The San Franciscan ships in Newcastle and Sydney made that opportunity. If a fairly accurate calculation were to be made of the cost to each company or firm of coal mine proprietors of extracting a ton of coal from their mines, and the price for which they sell that ton, the share of the miners must be rather in excess of that of the owners—taking one mine with another. Probably the miners would deny this; and it is not in their supposed interest to know the truth. Strikes have sometimes taken place to coerce the masters of mines that were not then paying interest on the money invested in them. And this has happened to New South Wales coal-mining companies, among others. But the recognised time for a strike is when the "concern" declares good dividends, or the masters have received large orders. This practice is not without a rude sort of justice, or attempt at adjustment, for the masters frequently lower wages by the threat, or accomplishment of a lock-out, when profits have been reduced by competition or an insufficient demand, or other causes. We have therefore before us, in the present condition of the law and the practice, the striking workman on the one hand, and on the other the locking-out masters. Each party gains its end by suspending production, that operation having a direct tendency to pinch the bellies of the more numerous belligerents and throttle the capital of the less numerous. The condition of peace arrives when one party's hunger becomes intolerable, or the other's invested money breeds no profit. But it really never is peace. It is only an "armed armistice." And an "armed armistice" it must always be between masters and men so long as the only recognised organising or controlling power of industry is professedly aggressive. That result follows from the universal acceptance by unionists of the fatal axiom that all workmen's work must be considered as of the same value. This axiom now stands, as it has always stood, like a fallen angel with a flaming sword directly in the way of any permanent *modus vivendi* between those who find labour and those who pay for it.

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So long as this mutually aggressive attitude between the coal owners and the coal miners is maintained, the Legislature, it seems to me, must sooner or later be reckoned with as a third party, acting in the interests of the general public, the preservation of law and order, and perhaps the safety of life and property. For all these interests are seriously jeopardised by a vast Labour Strike or a Lock-out. That barbarous *ultima ratio* ought to be made to entail severe punishment, unless some stated procedure for the settlement of disputes had been complied with by the masters, who had "locked out" their workmen, or by the men employed in the mine, who had struck work. In a former note I referred to this procedure as "arbitration," and expressed an opinion that the arbitrator ought not to be a Judge of the Supreme or District Court. That opinion has been controverted by Dr. Garran, and his reasons have great force. They would be unanswerable if the questions in dispute between miners and mine owners were likely to be such as would fall under any recognised rule of law or equity. But take the present dispute as an example of what one may expect. How is a Judge (acting judicially) to deal with a demand for extra pay because there is "dirt" in the seam? How is he to deal with the question of blasting as against cutting? Those demands would come under no legal or equitable rule. No contract, or in the absence of contract, no custom throws any light on the issue that would have to be decided. And the Judge, as a lawyer, would find himself (as I said) at sea. The advocates on either side could not help him to determine whether a certain company could afford to pay higher rates, or whether the miners ought to accept lower rates; for both those questions would depend on conditions which neither they nor the judge could take effective or intelligent cognisance of. And one of the most precarious of those conditions would be the demand for coal, and the impossibility of fixing the price of coal for any considerable period. There would, on the other hand, be questions for the determination of such a tribunal which would probably range themselves under legal or equitable rules. For the determination of those issues, a legal is, without doubt, the best tribunal, but the really disturbing issues would be disputes of a different nature. I think it would be very difficult for any tribunal or Court of Arbitration to settle such questions as whether Company X can afford, and, if so, ought "in conscience" to pay A, B, C (and the rest of the series) higher hewing rates, or to pay something extra for getting rid of material that is not payable coal, or ought to alter the system of breaking down any given seam: or whether ABC, &c. (the miners) ought "in conscience" to submit to lower rates of pay for getting coal. Nevertheless, I think no strike or lock-out ought to be legal until some prescribed effort to avert it, by settlement, should have been made. At present I can get no farther than that, and, I admit, it is not far. How the tribunal of arbitration ought to be constituted is a very difficult question; but, on the whole, perhaps a representative court of conciliation would be the best. Let it be presided over by a Judge if you like.

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In wealth per head of the population, as estimated by the Board of Trade (said Sir Henry Parkes at Singleton a few nights ago), Australia stands first of all countries in the world; and of Australian colonies New South Wales stands first. I presume that the statists of the Board of Trade—Sir Henry's authority—ascertain wealth per head by dividing the total of the estimated value of realised property in the colony by the total population, the quotient representing the result. But is this process altogether to be relied on to bring out a fair statement of wealth per head? Should no notice be taken of our indebtedness per head to people outside the colony, both public and private. The amount of the public debt of the colony would (let us suppose) be subtracted from the estimate of realised wealth, but how about the enormous private indebtedness. Has that also been subtracted? I ask the question because everybody knows that we as a people are about the most encumbered on the face of the earth. Of course we shall pull through, and discharge all our encumbrances before we cut the painter, but if we really are the wealthiest community, *per capita*, in the world, why are we at this moment so terribly depressed, for our creditors are not yet foreclosing our equity of redemption, or pushing us for unpaid interest?

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A short appraisement of two legislators, who have within the past week resigned their seats for ever (Mr. Farnell, M.L.A., and Mr. Charles Campbell, M.L.C.), is contained in a postscript to a letter from a much-esteemed friend, and I give it as I got it. "You could not imagine two public men at a greater intellectual, political, or ethical distance from one another than Mr. Farnell and Mr. Charles Campbell. Mr. Farnell never was a studious man. Mr. Campbell always was; and it followed that while Mr. Farnell "did not care a straw for an ancient precedent, Mr. Campbell did not care a straw for a modern one. He rejoiced in the Black letter of everything, and settled a political question of the present day by a quotation from Cicero or Homer. Mr. Farnell despised antiquity and everything belonging to it, even to its ethics, its religion and its politics. Mr. Campbell read pretty well everything except the productions of modern times. As fortune made Mr. Campbell a more independent man in worldly matters than Mr. Farnell, his political opinions were always of a more uncompromising character. He was one of Nature's own Tories, while Mr. Farnell was one of Nature's own Radicals. Both were good listeners, and both were modest men. Both were very generous men, but generosity being directly as the squares of our bank accounts, Mr. Campbell could afford to be munificent—not so Mr. Farnell. On the whole, Mr. Campbell would have been a more powerful character as a public man if he had had less culture, and Mr. Farnell would have held a much higher place if he had had more. Of the two men (taking them as they were, and not as they might have been), Mr. Campbell will be the one whose loss will be most severely and longest felt. Mr. Farnell had certain surface faults which the other had not; but apart from any comparison in respect of faults, Mr. Campbell was the nobler character; while Mr. Farnell was, without doubt, the more politically genial and attractive."

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Would it be an impertinence, or is it too late, to express a hope that the Gaiety Company of burlesque artists (I say "artists" deliberately and with pleasure) may be able to give us some Comedy before they leave. "Monte Cristo, jun." is well enough to laugh at, but there is a little too much of it, and some of the burlesque business is altogether beneath the actors and (I hope) the audience. Nellie Farren (may that lady forgive me for the familiarity) is a great treat, but much burlesque gets so terribly wearisome. Mr. Leslie is also a great treat, whom nature designed for a first flight comedian, only comedy had given place to farce (the modernised form of it called burlesque) when his career became of importance to him. I suppose burlesque pays better than comedy, for they tell me, who know, that a first-class English burlesque actor or actress can command higher remuneration than our Chief Justice, whereas a comedian of similar rank does not command higher emoluments than those of a District Court Judge, which really does seem extraordinary.

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But for that inexorable law Miss Farren would have been one of the most delightful of comédiennes, as she is now probably the greatest mistress of humorous buffoonery. But what a pity it is that this should be so; while burlesque is so much a matter of joints and tights, whereas comedy never dismisses her votaries because of stiff joints, or legs not altogether faultless in their curves. But to return to the direct object of this note: May we expect from the newly-arrived company something by way of change from this rather cloying meal of burlesque? Or does that despotic "Arry" rule here as in London? I know that I am in a humiliating minority. I know that some Supreme Court Judge will present Miss Farren with a choice bit of rhetoric and something in a casket; and yet I plead for comedy. At the same time let me honestly confess that so clever a company as the Gaiety Burlesquists have never in Australia faced an audience of which I have been one. We have never had such a delightful mimic as Mr. Leslie, never such an inimitably comic extravagante as Miss Farren, while for graceful dancing Miss Lind could hardly be surpassed, nor could Miss Hood's voice for sterling quality and compass (a sweet voice in a handsome setting, my friends). And one must not forget the very comic Mr. Danby or Mr. Storey, of the uncontrollable legs. In truth it is an unrivalled company all round. T. J.

LITERARY AND DEBATING SOCIETIES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Under the above heading Mr. Keyte suggests in to-day's *Herald* the formation of a union among the various literary and debating societies in New South Wales. As one who takes a deep interest in institutions of this description, I have been hoping for some time to see such a union, and am confident that if one of the leading societies would take the initiative, such a result would be obtained, to the benefit of all clubs incorporated therein. There are nearly 100 debating clubs, mutual improvement associations, and kindred institutions in Sydney and suburbs, with an average membership of 25; and certainly such a large body of men working for the same purpose should be bound together by a union.

A first-class periodical conducted in the interests of debating societies would, of course, be one of the main objects of such a union, and the expense to each club would be trifling. Public debates would also be arranged between the different societies; and intercolonial debates might be entered upon. A union of this description has existed in Victoria for many years, and has been of great service to its members.

A largely attended meeting was held here some time ago for this purpose, and addresses were delivered by Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. G. H. Reid, and other influential gentlemen; but only 25 or 30 societies enrolled themselves, and it was found desirable, after considerable discussion, to abandon it; nevertheless were the matter again taken in hand it is very probable that it would have a successful issue.

The importance of these institutions is not sufficiently recognised. A debating club has one of the highest missions to perform, and many of our ablest orators and writers have received their early training therein. I sincerely hope that a meeting will be called, which I think would meet with a hearty response; such a union would not only increase the membership of clubs already formed, but would lead to the establishment of many others.

August 21. I am, &c., GEO. J. REEVE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Mr. W. H. Heyte's letter in your issue of this morning opens up a question which I, and I believe many of my brother members of the School of Arts Debating Club also, should be happy to see solved in a practical and workable manner. A conference, extending over three weeks, between a sub-committee of the School of Arts committee and a committee chosen by the Debating Club, has just concluded, at which I submitted the appended draft scheme, which I think will meet, in some degree at least, Mr. Heyte's views. As this club is generally acknowledged to be the premier institution of the kind, and as through the kindness of the School of Arts it possesses an advantage in the shape of a spacious hall, centrally situated, for the purpose of holding public debates in the presence of large and varied audiences, I think the initiative might well be taken by it. What Mr. Heyte styles "the various jealousies which sometimes unfortunately exist" are not, so far as I am aware, to be found in our ranks, and one of our most stringent rules is the prohibition of discussion upon any questions involving religious or sectarian issues. I think it would be better, in order to ensure the success of the proposed union and to give it a more stable and enduring basis, that the invitations to a conference should be issued by the School of Arts committee, an independent representative body elected by a large number of persons of every shade of opinion. The draft scheme appended would have been submitted by me to both the club and the committee some months ago had it not been that I was personally requested not to order a supply of the amended code of rules, which we adopted on April 23, to be printed, pending certain proposals referring to the club which it was intended to submit to the committee. These proposals were made by a member of the committee and rejected, and the conference referred to was held on the 2nd, 9th, and 16th instant. Neither the committee (as a body) nor the club are to blame for the delay, and I only enter into these details to show Mr. Heyte that the important matter of forming a Debating Union upon a solid basis has received, at all events, a share of the attention and thought which it so fully merits.

I am, &c., W. M. FOOTE, Hon. Sec.
Sydney, August 21. S. of A. Debating Club.

The following is the scheme referred to:—Proposals for formation of union.—Title: "Literary and Debating Union of New South Wales." Manner of formation: Literary and debating societies in city, suburbs, and country to be invited by the School of Arts committee to send one or more delegates to take part in a conference to be held in the large hall, School of Arts, Sydney, on such a date and at such an hour as may be hereafter fixed. Objects of conference: (a). The formation of a literary and debating union to which all literary and debating societies may be affiliated, having the School of Arts, Sydney, as its headquarters. (b). To discuss the feasibility and advantages of holding a "general union debate" at headquarters on one evening in each month (say the first Monday); selection of speakers by the societies in the union, and time limit for speaking, to be discussed by a "debates committee" as a matter of detail. (c). To discuss the practicability of the union committee issuing a certain number of tickets to each society belonging to the union, in that society's name, the production of which should entitle the bearers, being members of the societies to which the tickets were issued, to take part, as a matter of courtesy, in the debates of any other societies in the union. Constitution: The union to be governed by a body constituted as follows:—President, to be elected at an annual general meeting; two vice-presidents, to be elected at an annual general meeting; council, one delegate to be chosen annually by each affiliated society,—to form a quorum; hon. treasurer, to be elected at an annual general meeting; hon. secretary, to be elected at an annual general meeting. Subscriptions: Payment of, say £1 per annum, to be made by each affiliated society to the hon. treasurer, to cover necessary expenses of advertising, correspondence, &c. Annual reunion: Once in every year a reunion of all the affiliated societies to be held, such reunion to consist of a picnic, banquet, general meetings, or such other form of gathering as the members of the council, on behalf of their various societies, may determine.

There is a little item from the world of fashion which will no doubt please those of our lady readers (says the *Pall Mall Gazette*) who would gladly hail a fashion by the adaptation of which their glovers' bill might be shortened. A charming French Duchess, so goes the story, had recently promised to be present at the festivity for some benevolent purpose at the Trouville casino. Being rather behind time, the lady put her gloves on while driving, and never noticed till she stood in the full blaze of the casino drawing-room that to her black and white silk costume she had put on one white and one black glove. It appears that her maid had laid two pairs of gloves ready for her mistress to choose from, and that the Duchess in her hurry had taken one of each pair. The mischief, however, could not be undone, and the gratifying result was that at the next fashionable assembly all the ladies at Trouville wore a glove of a different colour on each hand—a custom which has become so general that at present all the ladies at Trouville have adopted it.

ROUGH ON RATS.—Clears out rats, mice, roaches, flies, ants, bed bugs, beetles, insects, skunks, jack-rabbits, sparrows, gophers. At chemists' and druggists'.—[ADVT.]

DEPUTATIONS.

TRAMWAY TO THE FIELD OF MARS.

Yesterday morning a deputation consisting of residents of the various districts between Sydney and the Field of Mars, and accompanied by Messrs. Garrard, F. Smith, Hutchison, Hawthorne, Henson, Buchanan, and Nobbs, Ms.L.A., had an interview with the Colonial Secretary on the subject of the proposed tramway to the Field of Mars. The deputation was introduced by Mr. Jacob Garrard.

The principal speakers were the Mayor of Ryde (Mr. Ross), the Mayor of Five Dock (Mr. M. A. Williamson), the Mayor of Balmain (Mr. Buchanan), and Mr. Nobbs. Several petitions in favour of a tramway were presented to the Premier, as well as copies of resolutions passed at public meetings. The various speakers urged that the tramway had been promised on several occasions, and that it was time that it was constructed. It was suggested that the line should pass along Harris-street, and through Balmain, Birkenhead, and Drummoyne, and thence to Ryde. It was also urged that the Field of Mars Common had been given up by the people on the understanding that the tramway should be made, and it was pointed out that the convenience would benefit a very large number of persons. Some reference was made to other proposed routes, especially one by way of Woolwich, which was said to be favoured by Mr. Jeanneret. It was contended that the route alluded to would be in every way inferior to the one advocated by the deputation.

Sir HENRY PARKES said this matter of the tramway had been before the Government already, but it did not come specially within his department, and personally he did not know very much about it. Nor did he know precisely upon what terms the Field of Mars Common was given up. He had heard similar statements at different times, but the precise terms, or in what form they were expressed, he was not aware of. It had occurred to him that he would ascertain and see what the origin of the thing really was. He had never distinctly understood what was done at the sale of those allotments.

Mr. GARRARD: The auctioneer announced that the tramway would be made, and turned to Mr. Farnell (who was then in office) to confirm it, and Mr. Farnell did so.

Sir HENRY PARKES: That was a very loose way of doing it.

Mr. GARRARD: But that was what induced the people to buy.

Sir HENRY PARKES said one large purchaser of land there had told him that it would be a great mistake to make the tramway at all, and suggested some other improvement that would be of much more advantage to the residents than a tramway. He only mentioned that to show that there was not such a universal concurrence of opinion with regard to the tramway. Still he could easily understand how the residents of this district would be in favour of a tramway to go through their locality. His own conviction was that some kind of communication was necessary, and he supposed a tramway was the best. One of the speakers had seemed to think that there was somebody opposed to the tramway. Well, he had never heard of it. Mr. Jeanneret had on one occasion driven him out to his house, and he went on that invitation to pay a visit to a district which he had not seen for many years. Mr. Jeanneret drove him over the line by way of Woolwich, but never said a word in support of that line. He then drove him through the Field of Mars, and then over the other line—the one advocated by the deputation—but did not seek to influence him in any way. It was only due to Mr. Jeanneret, who was absent from the colony, that he should say this. What the Government had to consider was to make the tramway to serve the largest possible number of people, and to make it pay, because they had to look to the public, as represented by the whole of the people living within available distance of this tramway. He would speak to his colleagues on the subject, and would lay before them the petitions and the arguments brought before him by the deputation. He assured them that the only object of the Government was to give convenience to the largest number of people and to make the tramway pay.

BYRON BAY.

A deputation consisting of Messrs. Graham, Longe, and Allingham, of Lismore, waited yesterday afternoon on the manager of the Australian United Steam Navigation Company with the view of inducing the company to allow one of their Brisbane boats to call for passengers and cargo at Byron Bay Jetty, the construction of which (at a cost of about £15,000) has just been completed. The deputation fully represented the present position and future prospects of this part of the Richmond River district, and urged that by the company approving of the proposal the development of an extensive agricultural locality would be promoted, and a shipping trade opened up that will undoubtedly be lucrative to any company concerned. The manager, in reply, stated that at present the boats engaged in the Queensland trade are not equal to existing requirements, but it is proposed to increase the fleet very shortly, when the wants of the Byron Bay people might be satisfied. Meanwhile the company would have no objection to let a boat call whenever a special application was made to this effect.

PUBLIC SCHOOL AT BOWRAL.

Yesterday a deputation from the residents of Bowral waited on the Under-Secretary for Public Instruction, to ask for the erection of a new Public school at Bowral. Mr. Johnson, the Under-Secretary, apologised for the unavoidable absence of Mr. Inglis. The deputation, which was introduced by Messrs. Garrett and M'Court, Ms.L.A., consisted of the Hon. Richard Roberts, Mr. J. G. Morris, Mayor of Bowral, Dr. Newmarsh, and Alderman Hotson. It was pointed out by several members of the deputation that there had been a large increase in the population of Bowral, and that the primary school buildings were now quite insufficient for the requirements of the place, being too small and ill-ventilated. The infants' school, although comparatively new and a good building, was also too small, and required enlarging. The enrolment of children was now 300, whilst the average attendance was over 200, and the accommodation provided by all the school buildings only sufficed for under 200 children, and there were frequently 230 in the school. Dr. Newmarsh handed in a report on the school buildings, and stated that the accommodation was insufficient, that the rooms were overcrowded and ill-ventilated, and that there was no means of warming them in winter. The sanitary arrangements were also very bad, and the health of the children had not been good. He also attributed the recent illness of the head-master to his having to inhabit these unhealthy premises. In reply the Under-Secretary said that this matter had been before the department for some time, and reports had been received from the local inspector which had guided the Minister to a decision adverse to their wishes; but as it appeared that, even from the inspector's report, the accommodation was not sufficient, the chief inspector had been specially despatched to report on the school, and he had recommended that new school buildings should be constructed. This report would be laid before the Minister on his return, and he had every reason to believe that it would be acted on, and new buildings erected.

SYDNEY CHURCHES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The question of church attendance, and other matters relating to churches, seem to interest your readers greatly. Some time ago there was a heated discussion in your columns on this very question of church attendance, and to-day even there are two letters on the same subject. One correspondent, whilst lamenting the decrease of attendance in Anglican churches, assigns two reasons for it, viz., intoning and the sermons. Now, in non-Anglican Protestant churches there are long sermons and no ritual, and, therefore, no intoning, and yet, I believe, a good attendance. Again, in the Roman Catholic churches the service is in Latin, and at High Mass and in the evening is chanted by the priests, the service is as monotonous as it well could be, the same Psalms being sung every Sunday at vespers, and the sermon is a short one, yet here is a larger attendance than anywhere else. Thus, I come to the conclusion that not the ritual nor the sermon is to blame, but the spirit of the worshippers. Among external causes, I would put foremost the misguided zeal against ritualism exercised by a loyal party (with a patron saint of Glencoe fame) who do their best to create ill-feeling between the two parties in the English Church. In the last issue of their paper they have discovered an abominable heresy in one of the suburban churches—a few of the boys in the choir turn to the east at the creed—and they therefore advise their readers to leave and go to one of the dissenting churches which has "kept the faith." When I was in Adelaide before I came here, I heard rumours of a strife about Ritualism in Sydney. I therefore expected to find in certain Sydney churches crucifixes, incense, and vestments, such as I have seen in London; but I found that the churches called "high" were only the facsimile of those called "low" at home. I am not a member of the English Church, and therefore can judge from a neutral standpoint.

I am, &c., LACERDOS.

A Parliamentary return has been published, says an English contemporary, showing the fleets of England, France, Russia, Germany, and Italy up to the 1st day of April last, giving in detail battle ships, cruisers, coast defence vessels, and torpedo vessels and torpedo boats built and building. The number of battle ships of England completed is 42; completing and building, 7; coast defence vessels, 12; armour cruisers completed, 6; unarmoured, 53; completing and building, armoured, 6; unarmoured, 18; torpedo vessels completed, 3; completing and building, 12, including two sharpshooters for Australasia; torpedo store ships, 2; torpedo boats, first-class, 86; second class, 73. The total battle ships of France completed and building are set down at 30; coast defence vessels, 19; armed cruisers, 4; unarmoured, 63; torpedo vessels, 8; torpedo boats, 124; Russia has 9 battle ships, 24 coast defence vessels, 25 armoured cruisers, 3 torpedo vessels, and 24 torpedo boats. Germany has 13 battle ships, 15 armoured coast defence vessels, 20 unarmoured cruisers, 4 torpedo vessels, and 92 torpedo boats. Italy has 24 battle ships completed and building, 21 unarmoured cruisers, 13 torpedo vessels, and 95 torpedo boats.

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MEETINGS.

CITY RAILWAY EXTENSION.

A public meeting was held at the council-chambers, Condur-street, Burwood, for the purpose of further urging upon the Government the necessity of at once extending the main line of railway to the deep waters of Port Jackson in the vicinity of Circular Quay. The chair was occupied by the Mayor of Burwood, Mr. H. Lipscomb. There was a fair attendance. The chairman read the advertisement convening the meeting, which was for the residents of both Burwood and Strathfield, and announced the receipt of apologies from Mr. H. C. Fraser (president of the City Railway Extension League) and Mr. W. vonder Heyde (Mayor of Strathfield). Amongst others present were Aldermen Simpson, G. E. Russell Jones, Hardie, Archer, and Scholes, Messrs. F. E. Rogers, Q.C., Walter Friend, J. C. Remington, Dr. Hurst, Dr. Traill, W. S. Buzacott, and R. Jones, jun.

Mr. F. E. ROGERS, Q.C., moved the first resolution, as follows:—"That this meeting cordially endorses the action of the City Railway Extension League to bring about the extension of the main line from the present terminus through the city to Circular Quay, and pledges its support thereto." He considered that the agitation for this line had only been carried on in a half-hearted manner. The powers that be had also treated the proposals in a half-hearted way. They had had movement after movement still no promise of a definite character had been elicited. (Hear, hear.) The magnitude of the latest scheme proposed was likely to prove a stumbling-block to its construction. If the authorities would not help the people, then they must help themselves. In conclusion, he urged all to sign the petition. (Applause.) He was pleased to accord his support to the league.

Mr. J. C. REMINGTON seconded the resolution as one of the indignant public. (Applause.) In the past argument had been used, but the time had now arrived when an indignant protest should be made against the delay. (Applause.) It was monstrous to think that the railway should stop short at the outskirts of the city. In no other country in the world would such a state of things be countenanced. (Applause.) The influence of public opinion would soon be heard; the residents should demand the execution of the work. (Cheers.) He differed with the secretary of the league. He could not lay all the blame for the non-construction of this line upon the shoulders of Sir Henry Parkes. (Cheers.) There was a power behind the throne. (Hear, hear.) He referred to the Engineer-in-Chief for Railways. (Loud applause.) That officer had always opposed the extension. ("Hear, hear," and applause.)

The resolution was then submitted, and carried unanimously.

Alderman SCHOLES moved,—"That the petition to Parliament, as read, be adopted; and those present be requested to affix their signatures before leaving the room."

Mr. D. T. WILEY seconded the resolution, which was also carried unanimously.

The Rev. C. J. PRESCOTT, M.A., moved the third resolution, which ran as follows:—"That the Mayors of Burwood and Strathfield be asked to allow the petition to remain for signature at the council-chambers, and to suggest to their respective councils that steps be taken to obtain signatures generally throughout the boroughs."

The resolution was seconded by Mr. T. W. Willis, supported by Mr. W. S. Buzacott, and carried.

A vote of thanks having been tendered to the Mayor for presiding, the meeting dispersed.

BOARD OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION.

A meeting of the Board of Technical Education was held on Wednesday afternoon. The following members were present:—Messrs. Norman Selfe, M.I.C.E. (acting-president, chairman), W. H. Edmunds, Jacob Garrard, M.L.A., Alexander Kethel, M.L.A., and J. N. Oxley. Amongst the correspondence submitted was a letter from the vice-president, Townsville School of Arts, stating that it was intended to establish technical classes there, and making inquiries as to initiatory steps for its formation, and it was resolved to forward copies of the board's printed papers, &c. The following gentlemen were engaged to deliver popular science lectures in the Technical Hall:—Messrs. W. E. Roth, B.A., O. de Rozzoli, C.E., T. Fraser, L.S., John Bustard, Frederick Wright, and W. W. Collins. An applicant for the formation of an architectural drawing class at Parramatta was directed to be informed that the extension of classes was in abeyance for want of funds. An application for the establishment of a law matriculation class was declined, as the law was not taught under the board's auspices. A letter was read from Messrs. Doulton and Co., London, acknowledging receipt of copies of result of analyses of some New South Wales clays, and stating that there was nothing further in their composition than in ordinary clays, and that these clays would not pay the cost of sending to England. The action of the acting president in urgent business was approved. Sundry expenditure was authorised for the various classes. The occupation of new premises was under consideration. Returns were received of lessons and lectures, including a statement showing that at each of seven popular science lectures there was an average attendance of 230 persons. Monthly accounts were passed for payment, on the recommendation of the finance committee. Other business of a departmental character was transacted, and the meeting terminated.

A meeting under the auspices of the Protection of Trade Marks and Exchange Association was held yesterday evening at the Swan-with-Two-Necks Hotel, George-street. In the absence of the chairman (Mr. E. Hogben), Mr. W. Pegram was voted to the chair. It was proposed and carried that the association be registered under the provisions of the Friendly Societies Act, and the secretary was instructed to effect such registration forthwith.

An extraordinary meeting of the Sacred Heart Literary and Debating Society was held in the schoolroom on Thursday evening last. The president (Mr. Quinlan) occupied the chair. There was a fair attendance of members. Messrs. Hughes and Callinan were present as delegates from St. Mary's Literary Association. The president explained, after the usual formal business had been disposed of, that it had been in contemplation for some time past to amalgamate the two societies. The proposal had come from St. Mary's, and to carry out this object the delegates were present. There could be no difference of opinion as to the value of the union to the two societies concerned, because it was fair to assume that out of it would spring a well consolidated society that in debating power and in numbers must necessarily become influential. He strongly recommended the amalgamation. After discussion it was resolved that Messrs. Browne, O'Brien, Maloney, and Quinlan be appointed delegates to arrange the basis of the union, and that a meeting with this object should be held at an early date. The meeting then terminated.

The quarterly meeting of the Wentworth Falls Progress Committee was held at Mr. Cale's store on Saturday evening. Present: Mr. John L. Hordern (in the chair), and Messrs. Cale, Medcalf, Lowndes, Poulton, W. Wilson, D. Cashman, J. Cronin, Godfrey, Dees, Weeks, and Atkin. The hon. secretary then read a report from the working committee, which stated:—"The railway accommodation, or rather the lack of proper accommodation, has occupied our attention throughout the whole period, and we regret that as yet nothing definite has been done in the matter, although repeated representations have been made to the Government on this subject. Besides the new station, your committee has drawn the attention of the department to the inconvenience to passengers through the blocking of the roadway at the platform by trains, and are pleased to note an improvement in this respect. Better gate accommodation has been asked for, and, we have no doubt, will soon be given." The committee added that they have also requested information from the Minister for Lands as to whether the reserve No. 104 would be dedicated to the village or cut up and sold in allotments, also whether the gully known as 'Water Nymph's Dell' is on Government or private property, and, if the latter, would the Government take steps to resume it, as it is one of the most beautiful dells on the Blue Mountains. The committee regretted that no steps have been taken to appoint local trustees for the reserves, as none of the present trustees are local men, and therefore they consider the beautiful reserves—some of them commanding views not to be surpassed in the colony—are at a great disadvantage. No reply has been received to the petition sent in March last on this subject." The hon. treasurer's report, showing a balance in hand of £1 12s. 8d., was read, and after some routine business, the meeting closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman.

Yesterday afternoon a meeting of the local branch of the Committee for the Promotion of the Exhibition of Women's Industries was held at the Council-chambers, Paddington, when there were about 20 ladies in attendance. The special business was a consideration of the different departments, and the allotment of space for the educational, mechanical, horticultural, and domestic industries, and the fine arts department. Enough information was forthcoming to show that these will be well represented. Some routine business was transacted, and the proceedings terminated.

The Woollahra Literary and Debating Society held its weekly meeting on Wednesday evening last, in the Oddfellows' Hall, Queen-street, Mr. H. O. Holcombe, vice-president, in the chair. The business of the evening was the reading of the manuscript journal. Papers on various subjects were read, the following being the most deserving of notice:—1. "Is prize-giving beneficial?" 2. "Blunders in our tramway system." 3. "Stray notes." All the contributions were impartially criticised; and upon the announcement that the debate for next Wednesday would be "That capital punishment should be abolished," the meeting closed.

The first anniversary of the Auburn Congregational Church was celebrated on Wednesday evening by a tea meeting held in that church. A large number were present, the seating accommodation of the building being taxed to the utmost. After tea the chair was taken by the Rev. T. S. Forsaith, and addresses were delivered by the chairman, the Rev. E. Adams, C. Taylor, and J. M. Bayley, and Messrs. T. Miller, W. S. Buzacott, I. Bennett, J. Morrison, and D. Mutton. The report of the deacons, read by Mr. Morrison, showed the church to be in a very hopeful condition, both as regards attendance and finances. A hearty vote of thanks was given to the ladies for their generosity in providing all the provisions for the tea at their own cost. The choir sang several anthems and sacred songs during the evening, and their efforts were much appreciated.

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AMUSEMENTS.

METROPOLITAN LIEDERTAFEL CONCERT.

The Metropolitan Liedertafel gave their 26th concert last evening at the New Masonic Hall, Castlereagh-street, the society being assisted by Miss Josephine O'Reilly, Mr. Harry Hyndes, Mr. Rivers Allpress, and Mr. Charles Huenerbein. That this society is steadily progressing was clearly attested both by the performance and the largeness of the audience. The hall was filled beyond the limits of convenience, the atmosphere being consequently heated and unpleasant in the extreme. Though most ready to recognise and congratulate the Metropolitan Liedertafel upon its increased subscription-list, it yet remains questionable whether any society is justified in accepting new members, and issuing tickets beyond the natural seating capacity of their powers of accommodation. Those who were present last night were subjected to much inconvenience from this cause, notwithstanding that a considerable number speedily withdrew from the hall, and endeavoured to enjoy as much of the concert as was wafted to the cooler air outside, instead of getting the full amount of music, coupled with a more than desirable amount of what is sometimes sarcastically termed the "atmosphere" of the concert-room.

The opening number of the programme was Mendelssohn's now well-known cantata, "Ode to the Sons of Art," of which a really excellent rendering was given, despite the weakness of the first tenor of the quartett, who did not display the requisite robustness of style. Contrary to the general practice of this society, orchestral accompaniment was provided, the band being thoroughly efficient, and showing good style, the "leader" being Mr. Allpress. Although of small proportions, this worthy work has been made familiar here through the performances of the Sydney Liedertafel, through whose courtesy, as we understand, the copies were available for last evening's performance; and it is equally gratifying to note this evidence of good feeling existing between those whom the public generally supposes to be rivals, and the creditable use that was made of the borrowed "parts," the performance being such as would hardly suffer by comparison with any. Fleming's simple and harmonious setting of "Integer Vitæ," from the odes of Horace, served to display the delicacy of style and promptness of attack to which the conductor has brought the society. Marschner's "Free as on mighty pens" was also finely rendered. "The Last Rose of Summer" brought into prominence the best points of the choral singing, and although the conductor's "arrangement" was not sufficiently satisfying to bear repetition for the second verse it would have been nice enough as a variation of the conventional setting had the ordinary harmonies been used for the first. Weber's (Preciosa) "Gipsy Chorus" was given at the end of the first part of the programme, the society being assisted by a number of fair damsels, by way of innovation. Though they sang with spirit, it was not to be expected that their comparatively few and weak voices could duly balance the half-hundred trained male voices behind, and the resultant effect was marred in consequence. This introduction of female voices is an experiment whose repetition is not to be recommended—for not only is it contrary to the spirit of "Liedertafelism," but it is not likely to be successful unless the society changes its character altogether and boldly takes the position of a "mixed" choral body. The final item was performed with spirit, but though the accompanist, conductor, and late secretary be admirable in their proper departments, a "work" which is announced as the combined effort of all three gentlemen is not necessarily of much musical worth—at any rate whether the material were to blame, or whether it was a case of "too many cooks," &c., certainly the "Australian National March" would have been better omitted than performed. The performances of the society proper formed only so small a proportion of the programme, that there should be no room for the inclusion of music whose only claim to notice is that it is in part or entirely the work of those whose chief attraction is that they are members of the Liedertafel, while it is certainly questionable whether a society should be so largely utilised for bringing forward such things, when so much worthy music is already available.

Miss Josephine O'Reilly completely secured the sympathies of the audience in Cowen's ballad "The Old and the Young Marie," both here and in Sullivan's "Lost Chord" singing sympathetically, tastefully, and with commendably clear enunciation. By way of encore "Auntie" was given with equal success. Mr. R. W. Foxall might have appeared to greater advantage in a less ambitious selection than Verdi's "Infelice, e tu Credevi," but as he chose something which was so far beyond his powers it is not to be wondered at that success was wanting. Mr. Clancy sang so admirably in "Sei Vendicata Assai" that he was deservedly encored; and it was only a pity that "To Anthea" was not so well suited to his peculiarly Italian style as to result in an equally good rendering of Hatton's well-known song. Mr. Harry Hyndes has hardly his equal among us in certain styles of pianoforte music, and as he always selects what he can interpret with his best powers, success is certain. Last evening's performance of a mazurka by Godard, and Liszt's fantasie on "Le Prophete" (the skating scene), was most admirable, and his vociferous encore was therefore well deserved. Mr. Rivers Allpress was in his best form, and made the most of Chopin's D flat nocturne as arranged (or deranged) by Wilhelmj, his delicacy of tone being remarkable. In the wondrously quaint "Player," a dance of Sarasate, his fourth string told with grand effect, and the same composer's "Saltarello"—like "Zapateado"—furnished plenty of scope for brilliant execution—harmonics, neat octaves, and left-handed pizzicato effects. Mr. Huenerbein officiated throughout the evening as accompanist, and Mr. J. Ashcroft Edwards as conductor.

THE THEATRES, &c.

There is no change announced in the programmes at any of the theatres this evening. At the Royal, the Gaiety Burlesque Company, which has been drawing good houses all the week, will give two performances to-day—a matinée at 2 o'clock, and the usual evening performance at 8 o'clock, when his Excellency the Governor and Lady Carrington will be present. The matinée is intended to be the first of a series, to give ladies and children and persons living at a distance from the city an opportunity of witnessing the performance. At the evening entertainment Miss Nellie Farren will sing her celebrated Arab song, and Mr. Fred. Leslie will give his original Doll song, with his imitations of various instruments. It is to be regretted that the favourite actress Miss Sylvia Grey is still unable to rejoin this company, of which she formed such a prominent feature, as she is in Melbourne suffering from a badly sprained ankle, the result of an accident on the stage whilst playing in Esmeralda at Melbourne. "The Lights o' London" still shine as brightly as ever at Her Majesty's, and a matinée performance will be given on Wednesday afternoon, with the special object of enabling the members of the Gaiety company to see the piece. At the Criterion that wonderfully clever drama "Jim the Penman" continues its prosperous career. At the Academy of Music Messrs. Hiscocks and Friedman's Federal Minstrels and English Specialty Company bring their successful season to a conclusion to-night with a specially attractive programme. The Alhambra Hall, with its strong variety company, still pursues an uninterrupted course of success. At the Academy of Music, on Monday, Professor Canaris will make his first appearance in Australia, under the management of Mr. F. E. Hiscocks. The Professor is called the "Great Greek Illusionist and Wizard," and is announced as having come direct from Europe. The Hicks-Sawyer Minstrels, comprising some 30 coloured artists, are announced to open in the Opera House on Saturday evening next. The company, which has just arrived from America, includes the three Connor Brothers, acrobats; and Mr. Charles Pope, Mr. Irving Sayles, Mr. Billy Speed, and Mr. Horace Copeland, comedians. The company is a very strong one. Another attraction for this afternoon is Miss Finkelstein's grand matinée at the Y. M. C. A. Hall, when this lady lecturer will make her farewell appearance in Sydney, and will deliver a lecture on "Life in Jerusalem."

ORGAN RECITAL.

Messrs. Joseph and Edward Massey gave an organ recital on Thursday evening at St. Paul's Church, Redfern. The organ has only been recently erected by Messrs. Richardson and Sons, and is certainly a superior instrument. The pieces chosen by the abovenamed gentlemen were well fitted to show both the skill of the organists and the power and beautiful tone of the instrument. In addition to the recital, Messrs. Alfred Smith and Searl gave some vocal solos. The firstnamed gentleman rendered the somewhat difficult air, "Why do the Nations," with precision. Mr. Searl sang with excellent taste and much distinctness, (1) "The Children's Home," and (2) "If with all your hearts." At the close, the Rev. Mr. Boyce thanked the performers on behalf of the committee.

SKATING CARNIVAL AT ROSEHILL.

On Thursday evening last, by the kind permission of the Rosehill Racing Club, who granted free of charge the building for the purpose, a grand plain and fancy dress skating carnival was held in the spacious Rosehill Rink, in aid of the funds of the Parramatta District Hospital. About 500 in all attended, about half of which number enjoyed themselves on the rollers during the evening. The scene was very bright, and was regarded as one of the greatest social successes ever held in Parramatta. The funds of the hospital will benefit to the extent of between £35 and £40. Many of the fancy dresses worn were very tasteful. The affair was kept up with great spirit till about 11 o'clock. The Cumberland Band generously gave their services free.

THE SKATING RINKS.

The various skating rinks which have sprung up so suddenly in and around the city, are, perhaps, the most popular resorts of the time for young ladies and gentlemen. Every day and night the floors of the rinks are covered with skaters, who seem never to tire of the exercise. The Grand Crystal Palace Skating Rink, York-street, contained an immense number of both skaters and spectators last night, the occasion being a complimentary benefit to Mr. J. E. Donegan's exceptionally clever children, Nellie and James. The children repeated their performances—Nellie on the skates and both on bicycles, and the spectators looked on with surprise and frequently applauded the wonderful feats of the little ones. Nellie is only 10 years old and James is but 4 years. The staff of instructors connected with the rink presented the little boy with a very pretty gold medal in the shape of a star, suitably inscribed on one side and containing on the other a bicycle and rider. Mr. A. Wyburd, who made the presentation, also handed a diamond brooch to Miss Nellie Donegan. Mr. Donegan introduced his remarkable performing dog "Prince," and put him through an admirable programme of tricks.

On account of the success which attended the previous efforts of the Suburban Bicycle Club in the skating arena, they have taken the Crystal Palace Rink for Friday, 14th September. Many novelties will be introduced for the first time, amongst others a grand parade of wheelmen mounted and carrying torches, &c. During the evening a skating race will be held for members of recognised bicycle clubs. The first prize will be a magnificent trophy given by the manager of the rink, Mr. Alfred Wyburd, on behalf of the proprietors. Two well-known amateurs will give a display of fancy and burlesque skating.

Last night was the occasion of the grand masquerade carnival at the Crystal Elite Skating Rink, Petersham, and there was a splendid attendance. The masquerade was a brilliant affair, and proved a great success.

The Sydney Elite Skating Rink, opposite the Exhibition building, was last evening a busy scene of life. Both skaters and non-skaters were present in large numbers, and a very pleasant evening was passed. The final heat of the One-mile Amateur Skating Championship of Australia, for a 25-guinea diamond medal, was run off during the evening, with the following result:—Third Heat: Potts, 1; Blume, 2. Final: Killian, 1; Cassan, 2; Blume, 3; Potts, 4. Time, 3 minutes 34 seconds.

SCOTTISH RIFLES BALL.

The second annual ball in connection with the 5th Regiment of Scottish Rifles took place last evening at Leigh House Academy, Castlereagh-street, and was in every sense of the word an unqualified success. About 90 couples were present, among whom were Major-General Richardson and lady, Colonel Roberts, Captain Bayley, Major M'Kenzie, Surgeon-Major Williams and lady, Captain Hixson, Surgeon Clune, Lieutenant Hixson, and Professor Anderson-Stuart. The commissioned officers of the regiment in attendance were Captain Campbell and Lieutenants Robertson, Pearce, and Dibbs. A well-compiled programme of 22 dances was presented, and during the intervals, of which there were three, the members of the regiment gave a display of national dancing, in which reels, a sword dance, and the Highland fling were conspicuous. The programme was commenced by the performance of the grand march, which was executed in a most accurate and graceful manner. In the performance of this elaborate movement all present took part, and were led by Miss Pollock and Captain Campbell, preceded by the regimental band. After making a number of bewildering evolutions, the company formed up into an arrangement representing the national emblem—the Scotch thistle,—a formation which, when properly executed, presents a very pleasing, and withal picturesque, effect. The dancing was excellent, and the variously hued costumes of the ladies, mingling in an ever-changing array among the brilliant colours of the different uniforms and the burnished adornments of the Highland garb, combined to make up a spectacle the like of which is seldom to be seen in Sydney. Mr. R. M. Pollock acted as master of ceremonies, and, by his judicious forethought and thorough knowledge of the duties pertaining to his office, contributed in no small measure to assure the success of the gathering. Ample refreshments were provided in first-class style in a spacious ante-room, and were done full justice to by the guests. The musical part of the programme was entrusted to Maidment's string band, the members of which were most precise in the rendering of the various pieces. Dancing was kept up until early morning, but the principal staff-officers retired at midnight, in order to prepare themselves for the duties requiring their attendance at the military parade to take place to-day.

AQUARIUMS.

The fine weather just now causes the aquariums to be unusually popular, and should it continue fine to-day all the aquariums will no doubt be strong attractions this afternoon. At the Coogee Aquarium Mdlle. Garetta will again appear with her performing pigeons and other birds, and Ouda, the celebrated gymnast, will perform some wonderful feats on the trapeze, and will also repeat his daring flight from the dome of the Aquarium. The Bondi Aquarium has numerous attractive features. There is an open-air skating rink, where skaters may enjoy themselves free of cost; and in addition to the many interesting sights to be seen in the Aquarium proper, and all about the spacious grounds, there is the Switchback railway in full swing, conveying passengers from cliff to cliff across a small bay which enters the grounds. The Manly Aquarium, with its fine collection of fishes, is always a pleasant place to visit, and many hundreds will, no doubt, take a trip down the harbour this afternoon for that purpose.

A very enjoyable evening was spent at the Redfern Town Hall last night, it being the occasion of a complimentary concert, the first of a series to be tendered to the ratepayers of Redfern by the well-known Mayor of that borough, Mr. Thos. M. Williamson. The hall was comfortably filled with an appreciative audience. The first part of the programme consisted of pianoforte selection, by Miss Eva Rainford, song, "On Deck," Mr. Sydney Perryman; song, "The Desert," Mr. T. H. Rainford; soprano solo, "Il Bacio," Miss Glendenning; violin solo, "Old Folks at Home," Mr. J. B. Newton; baritone solo, "The Gallants of England," Mr. W. Gainor. The second part was opened by Professor Barker, in his entertainment of "Magic and Mystery," and concluded with duet, "Excelsior," Messrs. Perryman and Rainford; violin solo, "Fantasie," Mr. H. Newton; song, "Beneath the Southern Cross," Mr. W. Gainor; soprano song, "Dear Heart," Miss Glendenning; baritone solo, "The Tempest of the Heart," Mr. C. M. Hudson; tenor solo, "No Tongue can tell," Mr. Perryman; song, "They all love Jack," Mr. T. H. Rainford. After the concert an adjournment was made to the room below, where a bountiful supply of refreshments was provided. Altogether, a very pleasant and enjoyable evening was spent.

The fourth concert in connection with the St. Andrew's Literary and Debating Society, Summer Hill, took place last Tuesday night in the schoolroom, which was crowded in every part. Rev. Mr. Gray presided and gave a short address. There were 16 items on the programme, which consisted of glees, duets, solos, and recitations. The following took part—Mesdames Elliott, Sharp, and Grey, Misses M'Neill, Robertson, Chapman, Sharp, Horne, and Wilkinson, and Messrs. Shaw, Rossbach, Robison, Steddy, and Parry. Mr. F. L. Sharp acted as accompanist. Great praise is due to the above ladies and gentlemen for the excellent manner in which they performed their several parts. A very enjoyable evening was brought to a close by the singing of the National Anthem.

The latest English news informs us that the eldest son of the favourite comedian Mr. J. R. Greville, Dr. Sampson Greville, is now on his way to the colonies, having secured medical honours in Edinburgh and the member of the Royal College of Surgeons' degree in London.

Mr. J. O. Walker will deliver his lecture on "Heads and Faces and how to read them" in the School of Arts, Petersham, on Monday evening next.

SERMONS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—That the sensible letter of "M.A." may effect some good is devoutly to be wished; that it will do so is, however, very doubtful. In the first place, parsons, as a rule, are perfectly satisfied with their own (?) sermons; in the second place, the people have not the pluck to let the clergyman know that he is too long, too dry, too commonplace, &c., &c. That it is an absolute infliction to listen to the ordinary parson is a fact which church-goers will admit; but why don't they tell him so? "Afraid of hurting his feelings?" No need to fear that if his feelings are worth considering, for a man worthy of his vocation would take it in good part.

Two things are required: More time in preparation, less time in delivery. I have heard a good recipe, which if followed out would help to improve even the worst preachers. It is this: Write your sermon at large; read it over, correct, amend, and cut out at least half; re-write it, and proceed as before; write it a third time, and it will be ready for delivery.

As for extempore preaching (so called), if those who indulge in the practice would get a shorthand reporter to give them a verbatim report of two or three of their sermons, ninety-nine out of a hundred would be forced to say of themselves,

"I am, &c.,
"A PARSON, BUT NO PREACHER."

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I thank the writer of the letter on preaching which appeared in your issue of the 21st instant. It is too late, I fear, to hope for much improvement in the quality of the ordinance under which he suffers so acutely from the misplaced men who are at present incumbents and curates. We have only the stock excuses, of which your correspondent must know the value, to offer for the pain and annoyance we inflict. I refrain from adducing these. But something should be done for those who may listen to the sermons of those who succeed us—that is, if there be any to listen. I like action, and I take your correspondent to be a man who can do more than write a letter to you, sir. Let him and the many who suffer with him find and pay three times the number of men better educated and trained than the present incapables. This will be a blessing to your correspondent's children and grandchildren and to the children at large in this colony, for whom, under the present circumstances, I grieve with that amount of ability and earnestness of which I am capable. I wish I had more of both for the same purpose. I am, &c.,

INCUMBENT OF ST. PETERS, CAMPBELLTOWN.

TRADES UNIONISM.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—It would seem to an observant onlooker that unless the Government of this country commences soon to show who and what are really the lawmakers and administrators we shall have ruffianism and anarchy rampant; while the already existing depression will be intensified by the forcible driving away of commerce. Here we have coal-winners striking against 12s. a day and free house and firing, thus crushing one of our greatest sources of wealth; and the Lumpers and Seamen's Union are doing their very best to drive away our American trade by their interference with the freedom of foreign shipowners and masters to employ whatever kind or colour of labour they may choose. To gauge these union men at their proper value one has only need to stand near a group of their representative men as they obstruct the traffic in, say, Erskine-street, and hear their brutal threats and foul-mouthed vituperation with which they pollute the ears of passers by, male and female. They are suffering from a disease known in America as "swelled head," and the sooner they are taught to keep their proper level the better for Australia. I am, &c.,

ANTI-MOB RULE.

WAUGH'S Baking Powder obtained the only first-class award for highest degree of merit. Waugh's Baking Powder is the best.—[ADVT.]

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THE NEWCASTLE COLLIERY CRISIS.

COMMENCEMENT OF THE STRIKE.

CESSATION OF WORK BY THE MINERS.

THE COLLIERIES DESERTED.

REMOVAL OF THE HEWING IMPLEMENTS.

THE LABOUR ORGANISATIONS NOTIFIED.

GREAT EXCITEMENT AT THE LARGER MINES.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.)

NEWCASTLE, FRIDAY.

Although the matter of the strike was virtually decided on Wednesday, when the miners' delegates met the members of the Conciliation Committee, still a great many people hoped against hope, and clung tenaciously to the smallest remaining thread that might possibly avert the disaster, and prevent what must prove in many instances almost absolute ruin. The fact that Canon Selwyn had to meet the miners' delegates this morning gave rise to a very strong feeling that the strike would not be brought about, and curiously enough there were firm believers that no strike would happen at all. Everyone had some reason to advance for and against it. An impression gained currency that neither side wanted a strike, and that the presumably firm and obstinate positions maintained were nothing more than a menace to the other party. One side would have to give in when the shoe began to pinch—and which party would it be? Certainly, it looked as if the miners were only wasting time and would give way; and much evidence exists in proof of the shilly-shallying tactics they adopted. Instead of doing their business straightforwardly with the Citizens' Committee, they sought to ventilate a hundred imaginary grievances, and repeatedly traversed the ground leading up to the strike until the members of the deputation were tired, exasperated, and disgusted with it. The worst was not feared until Canon Selwyn gave up the negotiations, declaring that nothing whatever could be done with the delegates.

Some hope was raised at the 11th hour that the miners at their lodges last night would give the matter calm consideration—and at least allow a week's time for the operation of further conciliatory measures—but it became known just before midnight that a good many of the lodges unanimously refused to suspend the strike, and further resolved to cease work at 4 o'clock to-day. Reliable information was not obtainable till the delegates met at 10 o'clock this morning, when the reports of the lodges were placed before them, and it was then found that with the exception of the miners from the Greta Colliery and those from Old Lambton, they were unanimously opposed to granting a week's grace. In the case of these exceptions, the reports stated that the lodges did not assent to the suspension in the way of meeting the masters, but simply as a token of respect for the Citizens' Committee.

The delegates then sat as usual with closed doors, except as regards one journal, whose representative not only attended as a notetaker at the conference, but was present to-day as the *amicus curiæ*. The delegates agreed to telegraph to all the lodges, telling them to cease work this afternoon, and later on wired to all the labour organisations throughout Australasia, acquainting them of the strike. This being done, a reply was drafted to the Citizens' Committee, intimating the result of the action of the lodges in the suspension question. The letter is given below. Some business of a minor character terminated the labours of the delegates board. During the afternoon the men ceased work. By 5 o'clock they had all left the mines, taking with them their picks, shovels, and other paraphernalia. Great excitement prevailed at some of the larger mines where the men met in hundreds at the mouths of the pits. They engaged vehicles at the Wallsend Mine to remove their hewing implements, and as bodies of them drove off from the mine they cheered lustily. The collieries were soon deserted, and the men left, taking with them a fortnight's salary, which is the pay up to last Saturday. For this week the pay sheets are not yet ready, but the masters have arranged to speedily make them out and pay the men off at the very earliest opportunity next week, so that they will have no ground for complaint in respect of delay in getting their week's wages.

As might have been expected, the miners did scarcely any work to-day in the collieries, having devoted themselves to a general discussion of the whole business. It is feared that many of the first-class hands, who were opposed to the strike, and were quite satisfied with the terms paid for their labours, have been won over to the side of the strikers, doubtless feeling that unanimity was best under the circumstances There were no disorderly or riotous scenes of any kind during the afternoon. On the contrary, the miners were in the very best of spirits, and apparently totally unconcerned in the disastrous affair. Many of the men assured strangers who endeavoured to test their feelings that the masters would give in before Monday, and that Monday morning would find them all at work again. This is rather a vain and idle boast. With regard to the miners' determination, one of the delegates (Mr. Middleby, of the Co-operative Colliery) informed me that the miners were prepared to hold out for 12 months, that many of them had means, and that they would get plenty of support from the labour unions throughout the colonies. Another delegate who was present at this conversation said, "If Canon Selwyn and the Citizens' Committee would only go down into the pits and break as much coal as would boil a billy they'd soon know our hardships, and better understand the situation."

Canon Selwyn omitted to inform the press yesterday, when he announced the failure of mediation, that during the afternoon he suggested some such plan as the following as a possible solution of the difficulty between the delegates and the Citizens' Committee:—Would the delegates be willing to nominate any man they choose (from the Governor downwards), and put before him the simple question, "Will it be wise and right to accept the advice of the Citizens' Committee?" and the Citizens' Committee send on their part two of their number to state that case in writing, and the delegates, on their part, to send two of their number to state their reasons for refusing that advice? The suggestion was not entertained.

It might be very properly mentioned, although it is not the outcome of the immediate strike, that the Tasmanian Steamship Company's steamer Corinna left Newcastle on Thursday night, for Launceston, via Sydney, having on board 14 miners who have engaged to work in the Mount Nicholson Coal Mine, Fingal, Launceston. The mine in question is being rapidly extended in view of the general strike in this district, and it is said that the proprietors will be enabled to show a large weekly output with the men already working there and those who left en route for the colliery yesterday. Those who have accepted engagements here have hitherto been employed in the Newcastle district, and the reason for quitting is that they had every reason to fear the natural results of the strike here. It is probable that many other men will proceed to the Fingal mines before long.

One of the largest of the lodge meetings was held last night at Hamilton, where the Borehole miners assembled to hear the report of their delegate as to the proceedings of the mediation committee. In the course of some remarks he contended that the delegates did not have the power of granting an extension of one week to enable further negotiations to take place, and that the question was one for the lodges to decide. He added that the mediators misconceived the question of suspension, and stated that the terms of the memorandum did not embody what the Delegate Board authorised the deputation to place before the masters. The memorandum was drawn up hurriedly at the request of Canon Selwyn, and was in no way official, and the deputation did not receive the memorandum until after they had interviewed Mr. Gregson that night. What the Delegate Board really agreed to was that if the masters would forthwith meet the miners' representatives in open conference with their agreement, the delegates would recommend the various lodges in the district to suspend the notice to cease work for a week on the understanding that they had the right to hold an aggregate meeting, not on pay Saturday, but on an evening to be named by the delegates, next week; and in the event of the negotiations not promising to prove successful, they would have the power to strike without further notice. The delegate said he thought it would scarcely be desirous for him to give his opinion in reference to the matter, and his expression was received with cries of "No, no" and "You can safely leave it with us." Several speakers urged that they had been insulted by the masters, who were blameable for the strike owing to their continuous tyranny. Another speaker said he was opposed to the action of the Delegate Board in tolerating the procedure of the citizens' deputation. He designated the members of the deputation as interested parties—a "hash-up" of the masters, and nothing more—and any concession and leaning to them would lessen the dignity of the men in the outstanding world. It behoved every one of them to remain firm and win. He would not say win, because they had nothing to win. The deputation had come to them under sealed orders, like a war frigate. The present difficulty amounted to a reduction of wages to the men, and would affect the district generally if they were defeated. He thought if the members of the deputation, who certainly were wealthy men, would endeavour to assist the poor instead of "hoodwinking" the men, it would certainly be more to their credit. The men in pursuing their own course at the worst could only be the sufferers, but they had enough intelligence to fight the battle through, and required no mediation. He urged upon the meeting to be cautious, and resumed his seat amidst prolonged applause. The motion "That no extension of time be granted" was then put, and carried unanimously. Speeches of a similar character and tone were delivered at most of the lodge meetings, and the men in nearly all instances repudiated the idea of mediation. Nothing would satisfy them but an open document from the masters, and a general discussion between the two parties, as they put it, from day to day, until a settlement was agreed to. They considered the idea was nothing short of a monstrous injustice to ask them to accept a document in a blind fashion, a document which they went so far as to state might be compelling them to submit to a shilling reduction in the present rate of wages; in fact, they regarded its acceptance in its sealed condition as equivalent to signing their death-warrant. They entirely overlooked, as the citizens' committee impressed upon the delegates, the fact that the committee was formed by the public in order to eventually sift their grievances, and to make them more comfortable than ever they had been before, and could be in the absence of such a mediatory course.

In glancing over some of the pay-sheets in the manager's office of the Burwood Colliery to-day I copied the earnings per day of 32 men for a fortnight from the 6th instant. The pay-sheet was the first one I took up, and here are the figures as they appear in the day column:—17s. 2d., 21s. 9d., 11s. 5d., 12s. 5d., 16s. 4d., 9s. 6d., 9s. 10d., 10s. 11d., 10s. 1d., 11s. 2d., 13s. 6d.; 10s. 10d., 12s. 9d., 16s. 1d., 18s., 12s. 4d., 13s. 5d., 14s. 1d., 13s. 3d., 10s. 6d., 15s. 10d., 9s. 9d., 12s. 7d.; 13s. 4d., 11s. 2d., 12s. 3d., 10s. 8d., 12s., 14s. 5d., 13s. 6d., 18s. 6d., and 12s. 1d. This is not a picked sheet, and can be taken as a fair averrge per day of their earnings. In other sheets for the present month it appears that some of the best coal-hewers earned 22s. per day, and in only one instance did a figure as low as 7s. 6d. appear, and this was the payment of a man who is a very inferior coal-miner. This 7s. 6d. is the average Victorian miner's earnings. It must also be stated that in the instances where the earnings per day reached as high as 22s., the men only worked five days a-week, evidently being satisfied to such an extent that a holiday for a day's fishing, coursing, or shooting, the favourite pastimes of the coal-miners up here, could be availed of in the happiest frame of mind. A fact worth mentioning here, and one very *apropos*, is that the miners can take two holidays in the week without asking the manager or giving any intimation whatever of it. If, however, the miner is absent the third day, he is expected to send a satisfactory excuse. In one batch of six men paid, I found that in four weeks they divided £92. Mr. H. Stokes, director of the Burwood Colliery, and actuary of the Savings Bank, gave me an interview this morning, and, in answer to questions, said—"I believe this, that the men are endeavouring to take advantage of the large number of vessels in port in the hope of securing concessions from the proprietors, and that is the reason that makes them so determined at the present time. The objections made by the delegates to the conciliation committee are simply an evasion of the real facts. I am in a position to know the earnings of these men, and I can say they are very good, and have been exceedingly good for months past, and the prospects have been improving for a long time, and are now exceptionally bright, as many larger contracts have been made, and many more were likely to have been made. The miners, as a rule, are a saving class of men. Of course there are exceptions; but I don't think they will be able to hold out very long unless they receive outside support, because they have no extent of funds. The saving members are not likely to devote their savings towards the strike pay, but it is quite probable that they will subsist upon them rather than accept a share of the strike funds. If these men continue obstinate, we will not, of course, close our pits for ever, but will take some means of getting them worked. There is no possibility, that I can see, of further negotiations. The delegates have taken such a stand as to place it beyond hope. The proprietors have done everything the public asked, and therefore can do no more. I don't know any mine in which the men have suffered any grievance. The A. A. Company men say they have suffered a grievance, but I can't see it, for the men have earned splendid wages."

The citizens' committee held a lengthy sitting at the Council-chambers to-day. There were present—Canon Selwyn, Mr. Creer, M.L.A., and Messrs. Cox, Laing, and Scholey, Js.P. Canon Selwyn placed the Mayor's letter upon the table, and the miners' delegates reply. The Mayor's letter has been kept private until now. Mr. Curley's communication was received by Canon Selwyn, in the absence of the Mayor, who is still seriously indisposed. The letters are as follows:—

"The Chairman of the H. R. Coalminers' Association.
"18th August.

"Sir,—In my official capacity as Mayor of the city of Newcastle, and as chairman of a public meeting of citizens convened to consider what steps could be taken to avert the great calamity which threatens a general cessation of work in the collieries throughout the district, I write to ask you to receive and lay before your associated members for consideration the accompanying resolutions which were passed at the meeting above referred to. In view of the immense importance of interest involved, I respectfully, but very earnestly, ask you to put aside all other considerations, and to signify to me, acting on behalf of the great mass of citizens and inhabitants of our own and other colonies, that you will accede to the request which we lay before you, which, if it shall seem to you expedient to do, we on our part will aid and assist by every means in our power to forward the views which you entertain for the well-being of the great industry from which this city derives its prosperity.

"I have the honour, &c.,
"HENRY BUCHANAN, Mayor."

"H. Buchanan, Esq., Mayor. August 24.

"Dear Sir,—I have to acknowledge the receipt of your communication, dated 18th instant, addressed to the chairman of the Hunter Coal Miners Association, and referring to the possible cessation of work, and that as chairman of a public meeting of the citizens you request certain resolutions to be received and to lay the same before the associated members of the organisation for consideration, such resolutions having been passed at the meeting of citizens alluded to. In reply I have to forward to you a resolution passed at a miners' delegate meeting held on 22nd ultimo, when the resolutions referred to were considered, and the citizens' deputation received in connection therewith, viz., that as there has been nothing new laid before this board by the citizens' committee for the settlement of disputes, except by the production of a sealed document, we cannot accept their offer. I may further add that the lodges have decided not to accede to the proposed extension of time for one week.

"I am, &c., JAS. CURLEY, Miners General Secretary."

Canon SELWYN said he had thought it desirable to call this meeting to consider the present situation, and to resolve upon the next step to be taken. It seemed certain to him that inasmuch as the end of the strike would have to come some day, it was highly desirable the citizens' committee should not omit every effort to bring it to a termination as quickly as possible, and with that end in view, to consider the plan of campaign and the method of working to achieve that great result. They had been addressing their solicitation to the delegates to no purpose, and the next step should be to address themselves to the miners, many of whom, he could could not help thinking, were not thoroughly acquainted with the merits of the case in dispute. The men did not really seem to know the actual cause of the strike, and they did not know the reasons upon which the citizens' committee had based their advise. He, therefore, thought they should devise some steps—possibly by a public meeting, but certainly by letters and articles through the press—in order to lay before them the very fullest information with regard to the whole matter. Then the committee should proceed to instruct and interest public opinion, and to bring it to bear slowly but surely on the great contention. Already the public press had grasped the question, and their sympathies were entirely with the conciliation committee, inasmuch as the one side had accepted the mediation, whilst the other side had refused it. He believed that public opinion did not trouble itself to know the merits or the details of the dispute, but the people should be correctly informed upon this issue, namely, that the two sides had consented to be advised by the mediation committee, and that one side had accepted it and the other had rejected it. He had great faith in the voice and ultimate power of public opinion in bringing a body of men to their senses.

The following statement prepared by Canon Selwyn was then agreed to as the deliberations of the citizens' committee:—"All that has passed during the last week compels me to think that the great body of the miners are not thoroughly acquainted with the reasons which have led our conciliation committee to give to their delegates the advice which has been offered, and that they are possibly not aware of the exact nature of the answers which have been given to us as a reason for declining to accept our advice. The issues at stake are so tremendous that I think I shall be pardoned by all thoughtful men on either side if I endeavour to state, as concisely and clearly as I can, what the reasons are which have guided us, and what the answers are which according to the best of our understanding have been put forward by the delegates as sufficient to induce them, even in view of those tremendous issues, to reject the advice tendered by us. The advice itself is contained in the third of the resolutions passed at the public meeting. It lay in these words:—'That this meeting respectfully and earnestly urges upon the representatives of both parties to withdraw absolutely and entirely all resolutions, acts, or notices which have up to this date been passed, done, or given on either side, and that on a given day each party, by its representatives, formulate and present a draft of agreement, and that the same be submitted to three impartial competent men to be by them, after the hearing of witnesses on each side, harmonised, and then presented for consideration to the representatives until it shall be brought into such form as will secure their united approval.' The full and sole meaning of this resolution is, let bygones be bygones, and begin anew under more favourable conditions. The reasons prompting us to give this advice are these:—1. There will be no need for cessation of work. 2. There will be resumption of work at once by all those collieries now out, some of whom have been out for many weeks. 3. There will be immediate relief to the great body of miners who are at present contributing heavily for the maintenance of those out on strike. 4. There will be adjustment of pay from the date of going in under whatever terms are finally agreed upon in the new agreement. 5. A copy of the masters' draft agreement will be given to the delegates immediately the advice is accepted, by which all the past is blotted out. 6. The acceptance of the committee's advice may be notified by a letter to the Mayor bearing the official signatures of the delegates and officers. 7. The copy of the masters' draft agreement may be considered in the various lodges for any reasonable time before being taken in hand by the board of three to be harmonised with the draft agreement of the miners. 8. By accepting the committee's advice, an opportunity is given to the miners to carefully consider and amend their agreement already formulated, and to introduce into it provision for all matters which have hitherto been a cause of trouble—such, for instance, as the question of standard weight. By accepting the advice tendered, the miners will have the enormous advantage of having a keen and deeply interested public opinion watching that justice ample and speedy should be done between the contending parties. 10. Under the committee's plan there will be a certainty of finality upon which such great stress has been laid, inasmuch as the board, so soon as ever it is constituted, will be able to go to work without the least regard to any body who might be wishing to delay or hold back from a settlement. 11. The great advantage that this board of three, one to be chosen by each side, and the two to choose a third, was that the the members of it would not be arbitrators who were empowered to give an award which would have to be accepted by both parties whether they liked it or not, but a board whose duty it would be to hear from day to day or hour to hour what the representatives or witnesses from each side had to say to adjust the opposite views, until each side could see their way to accept them. 12. That if in the last resort no adjustment acceptable to both sides could be made, then by prearranged compact the decision of one of the Judges or other selected official should be binding on both parties for a term of years. The answers given as adequate reasons for rejecting the advice thus tendered, as well as the committee can formulate them, are these:—1. The miners needed redress for many wrongs, and were sorely burdened by unreasonable exactions. 2. That they had tried for a long time to get an agreement and had been continually put off. 3. That there ought to be finality in the settlement of the disputes, which were continually cropping up. The packet which contained the draft agreement of the masters, and was laid on the table, was sealed, and might contain for aught they knew some outrageous proposition, such as reducing the men's wages by 1s. a ton. 5. That the masters were in possession of the miners' draft agreement, and therefore in an advantageous position as regarded them. 6. That they would maintain their right of free speech at all hazards. 7. That the masters had nothing to withdraw, and that the miners had, and that therefore the committee asked the miners to do more than they asked the masters. 8. That the committee did not bring before the delegates anything new for the settlement of disputes. 9. That the delegates desired to meet the masters face to face to consider the draft agreement with them. I have thought it right to submit to the miners and public generally the foregoing reasons and answers, specially because in our various conferences with the delegates we had no reporters present, who might have been able to put the public in possession of the facts of the case. It is quite possible that my memory or my understanding may have failed to present an exactly accurate summary of our conferences, and I shall be ready at once to acknowledge any corrections which may be supplied from any quarter. I am, sir, yours, &c., ARTHUR E. SELWYN."

The idea of inducing Lord Carrington to interpose, in the hope of arriving at something more satisfactory than the present state of things, was conversationally discussed, but it was felt there was not the smallest chance of the Governor being so advised by the Executive, and the matter dropped. It was suggested that another public meeting might be held, but it found no favour with the committee, for it was feared that if such a thing were attempted the position might be further embittered, and that citizens taking part might be placed in an undesirable position. The committee then discussed at great length the painful situation. Each member gave his private opinion upon it, but nothing was forthcoming that touched upon a means of settlement. It was finally resolved to appoint Canon Selwyn, Mr. Brunker, and Mr. Creer as a deputation to again wait upon Mr. Gregson to call another meeting of the masters to see if any further concession can be granted. The committee, although agreed upon this course, feel a great reluctance in approaching the masters again, for they candidly admit that the masters have given everything they can possibly concede, and more than the public meeting of citizens demanded of them. The situation is a most perplexing one to the committee, for they do not know how and where to turn. They fully recognise the injustice of asking the masters to open their sealed document, and they also believe that if the masters could be induced to go to this extent there is every likelihood that even then the miners' delegates would not accept it, and that further they would assuredly take it as a display of weakness on the masters' part, and probably demand greater concessions than would suit them under the present circumstances.

The shipping agents met this afternoon at the office of Mr. R. B. Wallace, in Watt-street, for the purpose of discussing the steps to be taken in the matter of advising the shipping agents and owners in England, America, and other parts, as to the outlook, and the probable duration of the strike. A large number of owners and agents were represented, and it was decided to advise the owners of the ships now in port that the strike would last 60 days; also, to cable the same to owners and agents in different parts of the world, and to ask whether ships now in port should remain pending the strike, or proceed elsewhere.

Messrs. Earp, Gillam, and Co., shipping agents and brokers, have supplied me with the information that they expect to have very great difficulty in obtaining breadstuffs here, owing to the failure of the New England harvest, and that they find it necessary to obtain supplies from Melbourne and Adelaide, and that as there will be no back loading of coal, they will have to charter sailing vessels and pay them £1 per ton for the freightage of breadstuffs here. The vessels will be obliged to return to Melbourne and Adelaide in ballast, and great inconvenience will be experienced unless steamers will be able to get coal, and thereby run continuously. The vessels under loading of coal to-day, at the hydraulic cranes, were the Celtic Chief, Chieftain, Undine, Fijian, Flora, Tsinan, Sutlej, Countess of Errol, and Phoebe, and the s.s. Elingamite, at the A. A. Company's Wharf. These will be the last vessels loaded for probably a considerable time to come. At present there are 49 vessels lying in the port of Newcastle exclusive of coasters, and of this number 35 are yet to load cargoes, principally for California and Valparaiso, aggregating roughly 5848 tons. During the present week only one vessel has discharged ballast. Many of the captains of large ships and barques have taken the advice of commercial men not to put out their ballast in the face of the present serious dispute, whilst several which were engaged in the work at the ballast jetties have stopped, until matters show signs of being brought to a happy settlement. During the next two or three months some 100 vessels are expected here, irrespective of those in the intercolonial trade, so that this alone will give some idea of the busy season which would be in store for Newcastle. During the past week or two the agents have been giving their vessels all despatch, and consequently loading operations have been vigorously carried on unceasingly, both night and day, with the result that quite a number have done loading and are ready to take their departure for their various destinations.

Mr. Stewart Keightley, manager of the Newcastle Company, and a member of the Masters' Executive, made the following statement at an interview I had with him to-day. He said: "The general impression amongst the people of Newcastle is that the masters have done all they can to arrive at a settlement. The strike is likely to last for six months, so far as I can judge from the present aspect. The question of introducing new labour has not yet arisen. It is looked at, but has not assumed any tangible form. I view the matter of men going to Tasmania in this light. These men are superior hewers of coal, and anxious to obtain work, and therefore they, seeing what was about to happen, went off without loss of time. It proves to me that they are anxious to work to earn their living. As a rule the Newcastle collieries have no fixed contracts, there being an understanding of a general business character with coal merchants who deal regularly at the collieries from which they prefer the coal. The only mine that has a real contract is the Stockton, and they supply the Melbourne Gas Company. A good many big firms are trying to buy coal, but unfortunately there is none to sell. The output of the Newcastle Colliery is 900 tons per day. With regard to the disputes at the A. A. and Newcastle Companies, I must tell you that we ask the men to mine coal, and not to quarry it. The resolution of the Burwood miners to the effect that they mean to work the collieries to their own advantage means that the men want to quarry it by blasting it down, whereas we insist that the coal shall be mined in a mining-like way. We feel that we have done everything in our power; in fact, I'm afraid we have overstepped our authority in conceding the question of a week's suspension to the delegates, which they refused after asking it. The responsibility of the strike from the first to last must fall upon the miners, for the masters have all along been on the defensive, and the miners on the aggressive."

The masters have given instructions to their managers to have all the horses brought up from the pits to-day. They will be kept in the vicinity for a few days and then turned out to paddock. The masters have not decided anything with regard to the future, so as not to prejudice the merits of the dispute. Everything is in *statu quo*. It is not correct that 3000 men have been engaged in England to work the mines. The masters repudiate any knowledge of anything of the kind.

Mr. Curley, the miners' general secretary, has cabled to Newcastle, England, informing the miners there of the strike, with a view to preventing miners from accepting any inducement to come out here. The telegrams sent to the trades organisations in the colonies make a powerful request for financial aid. Subscription-lists are already out, and great efforts are being made to collect money for the strike fund. The canvassers met with determined refusals this afternoon by the leading business people.

THE FEELING IN SYDNEY.

"If the strike continues for any length of time Newcastle is doomed as a commercial centre." So said one of the best-known men on 'Change when told that the miners had definitely decided to strike. That is a sweeping assertion to make, but the expressions of many qualified to speak upon the probabilities of the conflict supply fairly solid foundation for such a presentiment. "Look at the matter how you will," continued the gentleman who uttered the first sentence, "I can see nothing but distress and desolation facing Newcastle. If I am rightly informed, the strike is to be a fierce fight. There is more in this dispute than appears upon the face of it. It is to be a struggle as to whether the men shall triumph in their attempted establishment of the Henry Georgian dogma, or whether capital shall vindicate its claim to a fair reward for enterprise—whether the masters shall rule or the men run riot. Upon the issue will greatly depend the future relative positions of master and man, not only in Newcastle but in the whole colony, yes, and in the whole of Australia. This opinion is no creation of the moment. I have long seen the crisis looming. It is all very well to say that the working men outside Newcastle take but little interest in the strike. Walk into the Domain any Sunday afternoon and listen to what is being said, and the conviction must be forced home that the firebrands exercise a potent spell over the masses, and that they have been marshalling men in hostile array against their employers. My opinion is that this strike will mark an epoch of stupendous importance to Australia. A warning note was sounded in the *Herald* to-day. It was there pointed out that "there must be something beneath the surface to account for the determined position the men had taken up." This strike is no mere outcome of so petty a dispute as that of the terms of an agreement, which, if entered into, could be broken at any time by either side. I am convinced that the agitators who have worked up the strike have a "plan of campaign" yet to unfold. It is a plan for the spoliation of capital which will be found to be the *casus belli*, not the interests of the misguided miners. The agents of these agitators will be found, before many days, spreading themselves through the colony, preaching "emancipation from tyranny," or some such false doctrine—false, in that such a cry will have no just application in such a struggle as this. "Emancipation from tyranny" could, with truth, be claimed by the masters. Now is the time for the masters to rise in their full strength and crush out meaningless strife. They have the power, let them exercise it. I admit that capital is powerless without labour, but in this case it is not labour with which the masters have to contend. it is mischief-making "laziness." I say deliberately that the men who have brought about this disaster are those who will not work themselves, and who are for ever inciting honest hard-working men to rebel against their best friends—their employers."

Upon all sides the men are condemned. The general impression is that the men stand self-convicted of having forced the position upon themselves. Mr. James Fletcher, who a few days since in these columns gave expression to opinions which were by many accepted as portending to peace, in the course of an interview yesterday said:—"You ask me for my candid opinion, and it is this: If the men bring up their implements they will be acting in direct opposition to their own interests. Had they continued work pending the drafting of an agreement, and had that agreement not been satisfactory, they would still have retained the power to give fourteen days' notice to cease work. Many of them are aware how much easier it is to get a favourable agreement from the proprietors while work is going on than when work is at a standstill. I have stated on several occasions that I did not expect the men would accept the whole of the agreement submitted to them by the employers, no more than I expected that the employers would accept the whole of the agreement submitted by the men, but I still contend that with the two agreements before them an agreement might have been drafted which would have been beneficial and equitable to both parties. Had the seceding from the position taken up by the miners been final, there might have been some excuse for their refusal to withdraw their notices. Having acted within their rights in giving notice, those rights would have still continued if they had failed to get the agreement they wanted. I believe that the strike will be a long one; it may in all probability extend over three, four, or five months. I do not pay much attention to the statements that the men are in want of funds. You ask me to state what I think of Mr. Gregson. My opinion is this: Judging from the long experience of him, in having sat at the Associated Board with him, I have found him to be a man who would not take the slightest advantage of the miners. He is one of the most straightforward men I ever had dealings with; firm to his convictions I admit, but if it can be shown to him that the position he has taken is wrong, and that his action is calculated to do an injustice to any party, I never met a man readier to recede from the position, in order to be just, than Mr. Gregson. I say more: That during the whole time I sat at the Associated Board with him I never knew him to move in any matter that would infringe the existing arrangements between colliery proprietors and miners. If he enters into an agreement, determined to keep it to the letter himself, he expects others to do the same. In all probability this is frequently construed to mean harshness on his part by those who have not the opportunity of knowing both sides of the question. With regard to the alleged disputes in the various collieries, the disputes between the managers and the miners, I look upon them as matters which could have been settled without a strike. The principal collieries where the disputes have been are the Ferndale, the A. A. Co., and the Hetton. Matters could have been settled by arbitration. I have always held the opinion that it is often quite as difficult—in fact it is more difficult—to fix the basis of arbitration in some cases than it is to settle the real dispute. I have been anxious to see an agreement entered into between the masters and men which would make a dispute of this kind impossible."

As to what action the masters are likely to take nothing can at present be ascertained. That they will defeat the men is an opinion entertained by the whole of the commercial community, and the masters are very confident of success.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

THE RECEPTION OF THE NEWS IN MELBOURNE.

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

The news that the miners had resolved on a strike was received with extreme regret. Immediately on receipt of the intelligence the Gas Company decided to reduce the pressure on and after Monday, stopping the sale of coke except to the Exhibition, railways, and trams. The pressure will be up to statutory requirements, but not anything at all equal to what it is now. The directors deemed this the more prudent course than to exhaust the supply in a few days, leaving the city in darkness. They will, however, make great efforts to obtain coal in any quarter. The coal importers held a meeting to-day, and decided to allow each individual importer who had any coal to charge whatever price he could obtain, no rate being fixed. They have given five days' notice to the Gas Company of the suspension of contracts, the time expiring about Wednesday or Thursday. This step is stated to be a precautionary measure. Importers will supply coal as far as possible, without allowing any one an excessive quantity. It is expected that the price will go to 45s. to-morrow. The tramways recently made experiments with firewood, and find it answer the purpose much better than was expected. The Railway Department have been obtaining much coal, coke, and wood recently, and have a supply which they expect will last the strike out without much inconvenience. The public have also taken precautionary measures to lay in a large stock of kerosene for lighting purposes. It is likely that many colliers will be laid up, and the crews paid off. As far as can be seen the intercolonial and coastal traders will adhere to the present time-table, but already freights to the Western ports of Victoria have considerably increased. It is likely that the New Zealand boats will take in sufficient coal at the Bay of Islands for the round trip. Howard Smith's boats will probably coal at Brisbane. If any coal is available from the Southern mines full advantage will be taken of it. There is a very little supply of coal in Melbourne, and no more than one day's supply of wood owing to the negligence of the Railway Department in providing trucks. Some foundries have two months' supply of coal, while others have not two days. They are just taking what they can get from day to day, and if they are unable to obtain more they must close. It is the same with many brickworks, and should the strike continue any time these will be followed by the engineering shops, rope works, and many other industries, and building operations will be paralysed in many places.

At a meeting of the Trades Hall Council to-night, a telegram from Mr. Curley was read, stating that negotiations had failed, and work ceased to-day, the masters refusing to openly negotiate with the delegates. Earnest moral and pecuniary aid was solicited. There would probably be 6000 men out. The gist of the whole question was the unequal distribution of wealth. A prompt reply was requested. Mr. N. Melville, M.L.A., addressed the meeting. He said the secret must come out. The fact was in New South Wales, Victoria, Tasmania, Queensland, and South Australia the employers had been secretly sending emissaries to induce the masters to join a union for the purpose of putting their foot on trades-unionism. The Masters' Association in Sydney had decided to try and raise capital to bring out 3000 miners from England, but he told Lord Carrington that they would not be allowed to land. There would be bloodshed first, for the miners would not submit to it. But English miners would not come out to swamp their fellows. The meeting resolved,—"That the Council desires to accord its hearty sympathy and co-operation with the coal-miners of Newcastle in the action they have now taken." The resolution was carried unanimously, amid cheering. It was also resolved "That the executive at once appeal to the trades for assistance." The meeting decided to remit £51 by telegraph, the amount being the balance from the Tanners' eight-hour defence fund.

A telegram from Sandhurst states that the Bendigo Gas Company has sufficient coal to last about 18 weeks.

THE FEELING IN ADELAIDE.

ADELAIDE, FRIDAY.

Those specially interested in the coal trade realise the seriousness of the situation, and negotiations have been opened up for a supply of fuel. To-day the price of wood at Port Adelaide was raised 5s. a ton. Coal vendors positively refuse to deliver any coal on account of their contracts. The Railway Commissioners have secured several thousand tons of wood and coal, and they hope to tide over the difficulty. An extra price has been paid by them for it. The steamer Investigator, which had been chartered by the Commissioners to make two trips to Launceston for cargoes of Tasmanian coal will, if unable to get full cargoes at Launceston, go to Wollongong. The coal and wood merchants recognise a bountiful harvest before them, and determine to make the most of the opportunity. The supply of mallee roots is unlimited. It is considered that one of the results of the strike will be to open up fresh sources of supply, which would be greatly to the detriment of Newcastle.

The Trades and Labour Council met to-night, and received a letter from Mr. James Curley, the miners' general secretary in Newcastle, asking for earnest moral and pecuniary aid. A discussion followed. Those present displayed a want of knowledge of the intricacies of the whole question. The following motion was moved by the late president:—"That the council extends its support and sympathy to the coal-miners on strike at Newcastle." He and the other members said it was their duty as wage-earners to assist the miners, irrespective of any little differences there might be. The motion was passed. The council are prepared to support the miners.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—May I be permitted to add one suggestion to the many valuable ones contributed to the solution of the difficulty. Let the men test the true spirit of their leaders by determining to withdraw the salaries of those men. Then we should see disinterested and wiser counsels prevail, as, with cessation of pay, the agitators would collapse. Too much importance has been made of a few whose personal interests are to the fore in every rejection of the mediators' labours. I am, &c., ONE WHO KNOWS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Now that it is almost a certainty that the coal-miners at Newcastle will cease work this week, I think the 893 miners who voted against the strike, and who will be compelled to remain idle, should be considered. In all probability many of these men would willingly go to work, but, under present circumstances, are naturally afraid to do so. The Government, therefore, should now step in and see that necessary protection be given to any man who is willing to work. I know the police force is not too strong, but presume the Permanent Force is available for such service—Indeed, I think it has been used for such before. Let the colliery proprietors offer work to those who like to work, and, if necessary, protection be given. I feel sure it will be the means of keeping the collieries going, and possibly the discontents—who are now led by the general secretary and other officers of the Union—will think the matter over seriously for themselves.

When the ballot was taken the votes were—3065 for a strike, 898 against: total, 3963. We are told there are 6000 miners at work in all the mines at Newcastle. Possibly a great number of the balance—2097—are also non-strikers.

I am, &c., J. H. S.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I desire to endorse the statement made by Mr. Binney in your issue of to-day. I feel that the report of the meeting between the committee and the masters could not have been given by any person present at that meeting. I observe that in response to my request to your reporter here last night you insert to-day what you designate as a correction by me of your report of Wednesday; but the correction is as inaccurate as the original report. The original clause runs: "The masters were informed of the steps which had been taken in reference to the men, and they were asked if the men agreed to withdraw from the position they had taken up by rescinding the notice to cease work, and to withdraw the ballot, would the masters respond by a similar withdrawal from the attitude they had assumed." This is seriously incorrect; the masters were not given any intimation of any steps taken with the men; in fact, none at that time had been taken. Neither were they asked to do something if something else was done by the men. They were asked simply to accept absolutely the advice of the committee, as such, and to give us their proposed draft agreement, with name of members of board proposed, under sealed cover; and they did so, with the condition only laid down by ourselves that it was not to be opened until the committee had obtained a similar document under similar conditions from the men.

I regret to add that hitherto we have failed to obtain this concession from the delegates.

I am, &c., ARTHUR E. SELWYN.

THE DROUGHT.

The following is a copy of a circular which has been sent to the clergy of the Church of England in the diocese of Sydney:—

"Diocesan Registry, August 24. 1888.

"Rev. and Dear Sir,—Taking into consideration the severe drought which has for several months prevailed in the colony, and the serious consequences which are likely to ensue from its continuance, coupled with representations which have been made to me of a prevalent desire in many quarters that a day should be set apart for special prayer and humiliation before Almighty God for the removal of the evils with which we are afflicted, I have been induced to fix upon Friday, the 31st instant, as a day which may be so observed, and to invite and recommend the observance of it by the clergy and their congregations for this purpose. We have great encouragement from our past experiences to hope for the relief we need, in answer to united and believing prayer. On several similar occasions, commencing with the fast day observed 'by authority' in November, 1839, we asked, and we received, either while the prayer of the colony was ascending to heaven, or shortly after. Why, then, should we not expect similar answers now? A special form of service will be forwarded to you in a few days. I remain, &c. (signed), WILLIAM M. COWPER, Commissary."

GLOOMY OUTLOOK FOR PASTORALISTS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

WILCANNIA, FRIDAY.

Owing to the long continuance of the drought the destruction of rabbits has entirely ceased in this district The dry weather got rid of them far better than any artificial means for exterminating them could do, and now it is quite a rare thing to see any except near the river. One great evil the squatters have had to contend with is thus done away with, and will only be followed by another of a still more terrible aspect, the want of feed and water, for not only are rabbits dying, but sheep cannot live either. Already many rumours are heard of the pastoralists being obliged to leave their homesteads and come into town to live for want of water. On many stations shearing cannot take place. Sheep are dying, and cannot be moved on account of the roads being blocked. The outlook generally for the squatters is enough to fill them with dismay, and it is worse than it has been for many years.

COBAR, FRIDAY.

The weather still continues most abnormally dry, and without signs of a change, causing considerable anxiety in pastoral circles.

CARCOAR, FRIDAY.

The present month has been the driest ever remembered in the district. Severe frosts are experienced in the mornings. There is every appearance of an early spring.

FORBES, FRIDAY.

No rain has yet fallen, and the country is getting very bare. If the present dry weather continues a hard drought will ensue.

WARIALDA, FRIDAY.

The continued drought is causing great anxiety, and unless rain soon falls serious losses in stock are anticipated.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Will you kindly allow me space in your valuable paper to make the above suggestion? On every hand we hear loud complaints of the want of rain throughout the country, and the people who live in Sydney seem to care very little about the country people, who have not the water laid on in their houses, although townspeople have to suffer when the crops fail. Now, last year our bountiful Father sent us more than sufficient rain for our need; yet no prayer was offered up in the churches to thank the Lord for His goodness in looking after His children here below; and now we have a drought dawning upon us threatening to devastate the country. Still the Church is silent. I would suggest that a day of humiliation and prayer be appointed to offer up prayers to Almighty God for rain, through Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Mediator, for He has promised "that whatsoever we ask in His name shall be granted." Thanking you, in anticipation,

I am, &c., F. CHARLES HALL.

THE WEATHER.

The weather yesterday was such as has been experienced in town for some considerable time. During the greater part of the day the barometer indicated a warm and steady night, when all of a sudden a change became apparent. Shortly after midnight a heavy fog enveloped the city, which made the navigation of the harbour very difficult. Up to going to press no news had been received of any accidents. The country towns report no rain yesterday.

AFTER a hard day's work, being confined to office over a lot of figures, one gets tired, and inclined to be dull, especially after dinner at 6 p.m. All that unpleasant feeling might be avoided by just taking one wineglass of Row's Dandelion Bitters in a little water. A good refresher and comforting tonic. You can never obtain a better, if you live to be a hundred.—[ADVT.]

THE MARITIME DISPUTE.

THE DISCHARGING OF THE ZEALANDIA.

PUBLIC MEETING.

Matters pertaining to the maritime dispute, so far as the Oceanic Company was concerned, did not present any very important feature. The s.s. Zealandia proceeded with the work of discharging cargo at the wharf at Circular Quay. The work was carried on expeditiously and quietly, and by the time the men knocked off work yesterday evening, the entire cargo, with the exception of a few articles of merchandise, was discharged. There was no demonstration on the part of the Union men during the day, and indeed there seemed to be very little interest taken in the work of unloading cargo on the part of the public generally.

Yesterday evening a public meeting was held in the vestibule of the Town Hall to protest against the renewal or extension of the San Francisco mail contract, unless it were provided that Asiatic labour should not be employed. The hall was crowded, and the meeting was of a very enthusiastic character. The chair was occupied by Mr. J. P. Abbott, M.L.A., and amongst the gentlemen who occupied seats on the platform were Messrs. D. O'Connor, J. Fletcher, Vaughn, Alex. Kethel, E. W. O'Sullivan, and Lyne, Ms.L.A., Alderman J. D. Young, Mr. T. M. Davies (secretary Maritime Council), and Mr. M'Killop (president Maritime Council).

The CHAIRMAN, in opening the meeting, said that he felt highly honoured by being called upon to preside in the absence of the chief magistrate. At all times he was quite willing to assist in the cause of labour, as he had an earnest sympathy with labouring men, and would like to see them all fully occupied in this country; for if we could not find employment for our working men we could not induce population to come here. They were met here this evening as taxpayers to protest against the Government using the people's money for the purpose of subsidising any steamers which employed Asiatic labour to compete with Europeans. He had ascertained definitely, when he took the chair, that he would not in any way involve himself in the question which had been recently agitated, but he felt that they had a just case on which to go to Parliament, and to say that it was unfair to bring into competition with them men who had no sympathy with them, and whose engagement threw Englishmen out of employment. The Asiatics employed on these steamers were being paid by the taxpayers of this colony, who had a perfect right to object to their money being expended in depriving our own men of work by the employment of Asiatics. (Applause.) He could assure them that this movement had his heartiest sympathy, and in his place in Parliament, if it became necessary to enter into these contracts again, he would do all in his power to have a clause inserted in the agreement by which the companies should under no circumstances be allowed to carry Asiatic labour. (Applause.) He did not say that these mail steamers should be bound to employ New South Wales sailors, but they had a right to say that English or European sailors, who had an affinity to ourselves, should be employed on board these vessels. It was not asking Government much to request that they should spend our money in a way beneficial to ourselves. (Loud applause.)

Mr. O'CONNOR moved the first resolution, which was as follows:—"That, in view of the Chinese restriction measure lately passed by by both Houses of the Legislature, and accepted by the British Government, this meeting considers that the subsidising of Asiatic-manned steamers by the Government of this colony is inconsistent in the extreme, and it emphatically protests against the renewal or extension of the present Pacific mail contract." He said that we should not pay money out of the Consolidated Revenue of the country to uphold any system which could help to degrade the working classes of this country. This was a question of national importance, which affected all classes, and he ventured to say that in future no Government would dare to submit to Parliament any mail contract which did not include a clause prohibiting the employment of Asiatic labour on the steamers subsidised. It was a question whether the national characteristics of this country were to be maintained or not, and they ought to do all in their power to secure the continuance of the race of British sailors.

Mr. FLETCHER, who seconded this resolution, said that the question was one which concerned both capital and labour, for our capitalists had been driven from the trade by foreigners employing Asiatic labour, and therefore capital was as much interested in it as labour. A Chinese Restriction Bill had been passed last session, and therefore no one could uphold the voting of a subsidy to steamers which carried Chinese labour, and prostituted the law of this country. There were always two sides to every contract, and it was quite within the power of this Government, when making a mail contract, to stipulate such terms as they thought proper before subsidising a line. Another important side of that question was that unless we encouraged the employment of our own race as sailors we should be dependent upon foreigners to man our navy in the future. (Applause.) They might rely upon him to do everything in his power to prevent the renewal of this contract or the entering into of any other, except it was stipulated that British seamen should be employed. They might, he considered, look still further ahead, for the time must come when the people of this country would have to demand from the Government of the day the amendment of our shipping laws. Something like seven millions of money were invested in colonial shipping, and they must prohibit the foreigner from trading on our coasts, reducing fares and freights, and compelling shipowners to reduce the wages of officers and seamen, or else to lay the boats up. (Applause.) The Americans had found it necessary to protect themselves from foreign vessels trading on their coasts, and how much more necessary was it for a young country like this to do it. He thought this ought to be the next agitation on the part of our seamen, both in this port and throughout the whole land. (Hear, hear.) He also referred to the clause in the Chinese Restriction Act which admitted Chinese who were British born, and stated that this clause was only a trick and a subterfuge. He supported this resolution with all his heart, and ventured to say that nine-tenths of their representatives in the House would prevent the renewal of the mail contract on the present terms, unless it was done behind their backs, and he pitied any Government which would dare to do it.

Mr. JNO. WALSH, amidst considerable interruption, moved the following amendment,—"That this meeting, while regretting employment of Chinese on ships subsidised by our Government, recognise the full right of American shipowners to employ any labour they wish in their own vessels." He said that, in his opinion, they had no right to dictate to American owners who they should employ on their own ships. If this meeting had been held to protest against employment of Lascars on British ships, he would have supported the resolution, and would favour the prevention of the employment of Lascars on the P and O. vessels; but he did not consider that they should attempt to interfere with American owners. (Groans and hisses.)

Mr. LYNE addressed the meeting in support of the resolution, congratulating the seamen of the port on the temperate manner in which they had behaved throughout the contest. He considered that if the Government could not dictate as to the employment of coloured labour on mail steamers, they should not subsidise these shipowners. He hoped that the firm stand they were making would show that they were in earnest and were determined to carry out their resolution with discretion. (Applause.)

Mr. M'KILLOP, president Maritime Council, also addressed the meeting, stating that the seamen, in their action with regard to the employment of Chinese, had the hearty support of their brethren in San Francisco. The Maritime Council had also notified the E. and A. Company, the China Steam Navigation Company, Burns, Philp, and Co., and other companies, that on and after the 12th September the same action would be taken towards them.

Mr. ALEX. KETHEL also supported the resolution.

Mr. T. M. DAVIES, secretary Maritime Council, in supporting the resolution, defended the recent action of the Maritime Council with regard to the employment of Chinese on the mail steamers.

The resolution was then put to the meeting and carried unanimously, the amendment being negatived.

Mr. TALBOT (president Trades and Labour Council) moved that a deputation, consisting of Messrs Abbott, Kethel, Lyne, O'Connor, Fletcher, and Garrard, Ms.L.A., the mover, and one representative from each of the affiliated Maritime Societies, convey the resolution to the Premier.

Mr. Wiley seconded the resolution, which was carried unanimously, and the meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chairman, proposed by Mr. O'Connor, which was carried amidst great enthusiasm.

THE CARRINGTON CENTENNIAL HOSPITAL FOR CONVALESCENTS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Several months since Mr. Paling made a most noble gift to the colonists of New South Wales, and up to the present time, so far as the general public are aware, but little has been done by the committee of management to carry out the objects which Mr. Paling had in view.

A public meeting was held in the Town Hall. Since then I have not heard of any appeal being made to the public for assistance. Some weeks since I saw one of the committee. He assured me "that things were in good progress, and everything would be right in time." In your issue of to-day I perceive that a "sub-committee has been appointed, with the Rosehill raceground management to carry out a race meeting benefit."

We have had for some time past (thanks to bad legislation) a large amount of typhoid fever in our midst, of which many of the sufferers belong to the labouring classes. When prostrate with the disease they are taken to the Little Bay Hospital, and on reaching a convalescent state they are discharged, but are not in a condition to resume work. If this institute was in working order a few weeks at Camden would fit them again for the battle of life. There are, of course, many other cases besides those having suffered from typhoid.

I do hope, Sir, the committee will soon take the public into their confidence and let them know what they are doing, what amount of money is required for permanent buildings; also the amount required annually for its support.

In my humble opinion it will require little short of £20,000 for the buildings, &c., and not less than £5000 annually for its maintenance, which amount, in spite of bad times, could be easily raised. I am, &c.,

August 24, 1888. E. T. PENFOLD.

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—August 24.

Leura (s.), 758 tons, Captain F. H. Stanford, from Brisbane 22nd instant. Passengers—Mrs. A. S. Smith, Mrs. Harrison, Mrs. W. Wallace, Mrs. G. Parkes, Mrs. Hingston, Mrs. C. Poulsen, Miss Wilson, Miss E. Wilson, Miss R. Nash, Miss Hingston, Messrs. A. Ross, J. Ross, R. Harding, R. Little, H. Maule, A. Le Lamer, J. O. Shower, F. G. Reynolds, A. S. Smith, F. Smith, R. J. Cole, and 35 in the steerage. W. Howard Smith and Sons, Limited, agents.

Quiraing (s.), 1166 tons, Captain G. H. Leggett, from Melbourne 21st instant. Passengers—Mrs. Abbey, Mrs. Samuel, Miss Samuel, Messrs. Thomas F. Kershaw, Nathan, G. Eve, B. Davis, E. Bevan, G. M'Phail, W. Robertson, and 20 in the steerage. Messrs. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, agents.

Tanais (s.), 1734 tons, Captain Lugan, from Noumea 21st instant. Passengers—For Sydney: Mr. Sabatier, Miss Mitchell, Mrs. Clifton, Mrs. L. Kantzon, Mrs. L. Zepelint, Messrs. Petit, Durand, Giordano, Guerin, Michel, Peterson, Rolland, Halier, Pahun. For Marseilles: Messrs. Ordinaire, Renandot, Alinze, De Lacamgad, Cherminier and son, Mrs. Carré, Mrs. Lamirault, Wm. Hichaud and two children, Mr. Nelong, and two soldiers. A. Conil, agent.

Konoowarra (s.), 1273 tons, Captain G. Smith, from Melbourne 22nd instant, in ballast. W. Howard Smith and Sons, Limited, agents.

Bay of Cadiz, ship, 1626 tons, Captain R. Davidson, from London June 8. Passengers—Mrs. Davidson and 3 children. Messrs. Virgoe, Son, and Chapman, agents.

W. R. Grace, American ship, 189 tons, Captain Joseph Wallnutt, from San Francisco, June 29, in ballast. Passengers—Mr. Crooks and Mr. Codrington. Captain, agent.

DEPARTURES.—August 24.

Wonoona (s.), for Melbourne, via Bulli.
Corinna (s.), for Launceston, via Eden.
Fitzroy (s.), for Brisbane and northern ports.
Victoria (s.), for Melbourne.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—August 25.

Caledonien (s.), for Marseilles, via ports: Clara, ship, for San Francisco; Jessie, three-masted schooner, for Auckland, via Newcastle; Victorian (s.), for Melbourne; Flora (s.), for Hobart; Elingamite (s.), for Melbourne; Quiraing (s.), for Brisbane; Leura (s.), for Melbourne; Barrabool (s.), for Brisbane; Guthrie (s.), for Hongkong, via ports; Electra (s.), for Clarence River; Woodburn (s.), for Macleay River; Bellinger (s.), for Richmond River.

August 26.

Tsinan (s.), for Hongkong, via ports.

CLEARANCES.—August 24.

Fitzroy (s.), 870 tons, Captain J. E. Meaburn, for Brisbane, Maryborough, and Rockhampton. Passengers—Miss L. Griffith, Miss A. Griffith, Hon. George Thorne, Messrs. W. Neaves, D. Hean, J. E. B. Newsham, John Cane, F. B. Mason, W. A. Brittain, and 12 in the steerage.

Victoria (s.), 1250 tons, Captain J. E. Munroe, for Melbourne. Passengers—Mrs. C. Spooner, Mrs. J. J. Wilson, Mrs. Lilly, Messrs. John Philp, E. H. Minton, Lilly, L. Moncrieff, Higgins, C. Spooner, Master Spooner, and 23 in the steerage.

Corinna (s.), 1280 tons, Captain J. P. Sharpe, for Launceston, via Eden. Passengers—Mrs. Goer, Miss R. Clifford, Miss L. M. Smith, Mr. Taw, Mr. G. Roberts.

Jessie, three-masted schooner, 247 tons, Captain H. Dillner, for Auckland, via Newcastle, in ballast.

Dallam Tower, ship, 1464 tons, Captain J. C. Williamson, for Java, via Newcastle.

Wonoona (s.), 404 tons, Captain W. Mills, for Melbourne, via Bulli.

COASTERS OUTWARDS.—August 24.

Sea Flower, for Tweed River; Glide, for Newcastle or Wollongong; Jessie, Saxonia, for Newcastle; Maggie, for Port Stephens; Louisa Mussell, for Manning River.

IMPORTS.—August 24.

[A special charge is made for consignees' notices in this column.]

Leura (s.), from Brisbane: 227 sacks 1024 bags sugar, 300 hides, 20 bales sheepskins, a quantity of sundries; also through cargo for Melbourne.

Quiraing (s.), from Melbourne: 68 chests tea, 520 bags flour, 400 sacks potatoes, 7 crates vegetables, 100 cases sundries, and 200 tons through Northern cargo.

Tanais (s.), from Noumea: 9 casks tallow, 6 bales sheepskins, 390 loose 5 barrels hides, 5 casks coconut oil, 276 bags maize, 46 bags copra, 1288 bags cobalt, 30 bags mushrooms, 7 packages zinc, 115 bags beche-de-mer, 3 packages curios, 5 cases fruit, 10 empty casks, 86 packages coffee, 1 package specie, and sundries.

Bay of Cadiz, from London: 10 kegs tartaric acid, 7 hogsheads cream of tartar, 100 boxes tin plates, 2226 casks cement, 78,020 slates, 370 drums oil, 2630 packages oilstones, 1236 deals, 30 packages peel, 31 cases marble, 50 quarter-casks brandy, 152 cases bottled beer, 60 cases cocoa, 900 cases matches, 40 rolls lead, 620 kegs white lead, 1909 boxes candles, 1243 blocks stoneware, 33 packages drugs, 30 cases wine, 50 half-barrels 250 cases fish, 21 cases furniture, 97 casks whiting, 17 cases hams, 75 cases whisky, 4 tanks seed, 40 tanks malt, 29 packages rope, 79 rolls floorcloth, 3 casks gum, 44 packages yams, 146 bales 13 cases paper, 60 cases nails, 2 casks 41 cases varnish, 9105 packages hardware, 16 drums acid, 1580 cases currants, 66 casks soda, 287 packages drapery, 209 bales corks, 544 packages bottles, and a quantity of unspecified cargo.

Ex Trafalgar: 40 cases galvanised corrugated iron, 1 case drugs. E. Rich and Co., 95, Pitt-street, Sydney.

Ex Bay of Cadiz: 544 packages Crosse and Blackwell's goods, pickles, jams, A.B. pastes, essences, catsup, Oxford, Cambridge, and Bologna sausages, Lucca oil, vinegar, capers, L.P. sauce, &c., &c.—John Barlow and Co.

Ex Trafalgar: 30 rolls lead, 23 casks soft soap—Mason Brothers, Limited.

Ex Carnarvon Castle: 20,000 20 x 10 slates—Mason Brothers, Limited.

Ex Bay of Cadiz: 78,350 purple Penrhyn Bangor slates—Kirk and Dickinson, 401, Sussex-street.

Ex Carnarvon Castle, Loch Trool, Otterspool, and Trafalgar: 250 boxes IC coke steel tinplates, 932 pigs Locket and Co.'s pig lead, 75 rolls sheet lead, 400 bundles fencing wire, 20 tons G.C. iron, 1437 pieces 9 x 3 and 11 x 3 red Baltic deals—J. Banks Johnston and Co.

EXPORTS.—August 24.

Corinna (s.), for Launceston, via Eden: 800 tons coal, 4 quarter-casks 114 cases whisky, 25 bundles wire, 6 packages drugs, 3 packages boots, 10 cases chairs, 13 wire mattresses, 256 cases fruit, 20 tons shale, 200 sheep, 4 bags nuts, 30 bags grass seed, 5 boxes stereotypes, and sundries.

Dallam Tower, for Java, via Newcastle: 4800 bags sugar, 500 cases kerosene, 320 tons coal, and part original cargo from Glasgow.

Wonoona (s.), for Melbourne, via Bulli: 700 tons coal, to be shipped at Bulli.

Victoria (s.), for Melbourne: 9 packages machinery, 4 bundles wheels, 19 packages hardware, 4 iron plates, 29 bars iron, 17 quarter-casks whisky, 49 bags oysters, 2221 cases fruit, 11 packages paints, 13 packages trees and plants, 50 cases chlorate, 5 cases confectionery, 205 ingots copper, 10 cases brandy, 12 barrels linseed oil, 224 bags coffee, 142 rolls wire netting, 91 tubes, 289 bags oats, 33 pieces woodwork, 17 packages drapery, 285 bunches bananas, 66 cases molasses, 1164 packages sugar, 65 hides, 11 bags bones, 9 casks tallow, sundries, and through Queensland cargo.

Fitzroy (s.), for Queensland ports: 8 packages earthenware, 17 packages drapery, 4 bags pepper, 4 bales paper, 40 coils wire, 13 packages boots and shoes, 3 coils rope, 13 cases wine, 17 packages drugs, 3 cases cigars, 5 packages seeds, 78 rolls wire netting, 26 drums boiler composition, 15 cases cheese, 41 bales bags, 200 cases castor oil, 10 bags oatmeal, 20 bags peas, 5 cases marble, 968 packages flour, 17 packages machinery, 7 packages plants, 25 cases ale, 35 cases rum, 10 cases ginger wine, 299 bags maize, 7 packages grindery, 87 lengths pipe, 6 bottles quicksilver, 3 casks sulphate iron, 88 bags potatoes, 24 bales woolpacks, 3 cases periodicals, 40 bales cornsacks, 93 packages oilstones, 49 cases fruit, 65 cases whiskey, 6 bars steel, 118 cases 30 drums oil, 45 bars 30 plates iron, 143 bags salt, 12 kegs butter, 40 bundles hoop iron, 22 bags rice, 72 bales chaff, 469 bags bran, 1 horse, 3 coops poultry, 30 packages clemes, and a quantity of sundries.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

Brisbane.—Arrivals: August 24, Glanworth (s.), from Sydney; Examiner, barque, from Newcastle. Departures: August 24, Derwent (s.), Cintra (s.), for Sydney; Rodondo (s.), for Maryborough and Rockhampton; Yaralla (s.), for Bundaberg; Orion, barque, for Newcastle, in ballast. You Yangs (s.), for Townsville, left Maryborough yesterday. Eurimbla (s.), from Rockhampton, for Sydney left Bundaberg to-day. Ranelagh (s.), left Rockhampton to-day for Sydney. Katoomba, for Cooktown, arrived at Bowen this afternoon. Bockton (s.), from Normanton for Sydney, arrived at Flat-top Island this morning. Barcoo (s.), arrived at Cooktown this morning. Birksgate (s.), from Burketown for Brisbane, left Kimberley yesterday afternoon. Afghan (s.), from Hongkong for Sydney, arrived at Townsville at midday. Waroonga (s.), left Thursday Island for Normanton and Burketown at noon to-day.

Newcastle.—Arrivals: August 24, Ability, Alfred Fenning, from Cape Hawke; Easby (s.), from Melbourne; Chili, from Cairns; William Turner, from Port Pirie; Lochnaw, from Adelaide; Phillis, from Maryborough; Newcastle (s.), Maitland (s.), Boomerang (s.), Tasmania (s.), Fawn, Prosperity, Clara Jackson, Grace Dent, Fern, from Sydney. Departures: August 24, Hauroto (s.), Fijian (s.), for Lyttelton; Phaeda, for San Francisco, with 2262 tons coal; Flora (s.), Saxonia (s.), Phœbe (s.), Tamar (s.), Elingamite (s.), Newcastle (s.), Tasmania (s.), Boomerang (s.), Maitland (s.), The Queen, Scotia, Chieftain, Isabelle, Escort, Clara Jackson, Countess of Errol, for Sydney.

Gabo Island.—Passed: August 24, R.M.S. Oceana, at 11.25 a.m.; Aratapu, schooner, at 3.35 p.m., north; Gambier (s.), at 12.10 p.m., west.

Melbourne.—Arrivals: August 24, Pateena (s.), from Launceston; Burwah (s.), Warrego (s.), from Sydney; Glaucus (s.), Titus (s.), from Newcastle; Hermes, barque, Christiana, Commonwealth, ships, from Liverpool; Cape of Good Hope, ship, from Glasgow. Departures: August 24, Buninyong (s.), for Sydney; R.M.S. Massilia, for London; Killochan, for Auckland; Lindus (s.), for Newcastle.

Adelaide.—Arrival: August 24, Gabo (s.), from Sydney.

(FROM BOARD AT TELEGRAPH OFFICE.)

Tweed Heads.—Departure: August 24, Scout (s.), at 7.40 a.m.

Clarence Heads.—Passed: August 24, a fore-and-aft schooner, at 1.30 p.m.; Hope, at 3.40 p.m., both north.

Macleay Heads.—Arrival: August 24, Envy, at 1.20 p.m.

Port Macquarie.—Arrival: August 24, Wellington (s.), at 9.45 a.m. Passed: August 24, Monmuir (s.), at 7.40 a.m.; Karuah (s.), at 4 p.m., north.

Nambucca Heads.—Arrival: August 24, Feramount (s.), at 8 a.m.

Cape Hawke.—Arrival: August 23, Emma Pyers (s.), at 9 p.m.

Bellinger Heads.—Departure: August 24, Avon (s.), for Port Macquarie, at 10 a.m.

Manning River.—Arrivals: August 24, Rosedale (s.), Jessie Sinclair, at 10 a.m.

Port Stephens.—Departure: August 24, Advance, at 1.30 p.m. Passed: August 24, Duke of Argyll (s.), at 11 a.m., south.

Wollongong.—Arrivals: August 23, Crest of the Wave, Norman, Menschikoff, from Sydney. August 24, Garron, from Sydney. Departure: August 23, Franklin (s.), for Adelaide; Illawarra (s.), Platypus (s.), Harold, for Sydney. August 24, Bega (s.), for Kiama.

Bateman's Bay.—Arrival: August 24, Kiama (s.), at 8 a.m.

Crookhaven Heads.—Arrival: August 24, Moeinderry (s.), at 6.30 a.m.

Eden.—Arrival: August 23, Allowrie (s.), at 10 p.m.

Green Cape.—Passed: August 24, R.M.S. Oceana, at 12.55 p.m., north.

Gabo Island.—Passed: August 24, Gambier (s.), at 12.10 p.m., west; Aratapu, schooner, at 3.30 p.m., north.

Low Head.—Departure: August 24, Southern Cross (s.), for Formby, at 9.27 a.m.

Port Darwin.—Arrival: August 24, Changsha (s.), from Hongkong.

Hobart.—Arrival: August 23, Tainui (s.), from London via Capetown, at 7.40 p.m.

Launceston.—Arrival: August 24, Flinders (s.), from Melbourne, at 8.30 a.m.

Albany.—Arrival: August 24, R.M.S. Cuzco, from Adelaide, at 12.45 a.m. Departure: August 24, R.M.S. Cuzco, for Plymouth, at 2.30 a.m.

Cossack, W.A.—Arrival: August 22, Australind (s.), from Singapore, via Derby.

ENGLISH AND FOREIGN SHIPPING.

(PER MERCHANT SHIPPING AND UNDERWRITERS' ASSOCIATION.)

LONDON, Aug. 22.

Arrived, from Port Pirie: Araby Maid, barque, sailed April 8; Ailsahaw, barque, sailed April 15. Arrived from Oamaru: Fifeshire (s.), sailed June 26, via Timaru and Port Chalmers July 6.

(For continuation of Shipping Intelligence see page 14.)

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

FRIDAY EVENING.

In the Stock and Share market to-day business was quiet. Assets Realization and North Shore Ferry were rather dearer; others without change. The following sales were reported:—At 1 o'clock: City Bank, 16½; Commercial of Australia, £9 19s. 6d.; Hudson Bros., 5s.; Sydney Exchange, 14¼. At 4 o'clock: Bank of New Zealand, Sydney register, 10⅝; New Zealand register, 10½, 10⅝; Shale and Oil, 2s. 6d., 2s. 9d.; Permanent Trustee, 4s. 6d.; Assets Realization, 5s. 3d.; Real Estate Bank, 8s. Closing quotations were:—

BANKS.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
A. J. Bank	15	—	N. Z. Syd. reg.	10½	10⅝
City	16⅜	16½	Ditto, N. Z. reg.	—	10⅝
New issue, £2 pd.	85/	87/	Q'land National	9½	9¾
Commercial	114	—	Union	56	—
Federal	—	—	Rl. Bank Q'land	—	5½
Mercantile	5	5½	Bk. of Nth Q'land	39/	39/6
N. S. W.	—	65½	Com. of Australia	9⅞	10

STEAM.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
Australasian	—	8/	Illawarra	7½	—
Balmain Ferry	17/6	18/	Newcastle	6/3	7/6
Clarence & Richmond	—	13	Do. Preferential	—	12/
Do. Preferential	14	15	N. Shore Ferry	40/	41/
Hunter River	—	8½	Port Jackson	45/	48/

INSURANCE.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
General	8	—	New S. Wales	11d	1/
Austral. Mutual	15/	—	New Zealand	—	—
City Mutual	1/11	2/1	Pacific	—	20/
Indus. Mutual	—	—	United	70/	74/
Mer. Mutual	5/9	6/			

MISCELLANEOUS.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
Australian Gas	15	15½	Shale and Oil	2/6	3/
New	8½	—	S. P. Petroleum	—	8/
Castlemaine Br.	20/	23/	Sydney Exch'nge	14½	—
Emu Gravel	—	—	Assets Realizat'n	5/3	5/6
Hudson Bros.	5/	5/3	Mortgage Guarantee, 10s paid	—	15/
Mont de Piété	22/	22/6	Sydney T. and O.	24/	—
Saywell's	12/3	13/	Colonial Sugar	—	12½
Permanent Trust.	4/3	4/6	Tooth's Brewery	19/	19/6
Perkins and Co.	—	34/	Goulburn Gas	37/	43/
Ditto New	—	23/	Col. Finance	4/6	4/9
Perpet. Trustee	12/6	14/6	Art. Well Boring	—	7/
Vol. Land Order	—	150			

LAND AND BUILDING COMPANIES.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
Anglo-A. F. L. I.	7¾	8¼	Syd. Freehold	21/6	—
Ditto, £1 paid	33/	—	Syd. and Sub.	6	6½
C. B. and In.	82/	—	Syd. Permt.	34	—
Excelsior	57/	60/	Real Estate	7/9	8/
Mercantile B. Co.	—	15/	Aus. Mutual	62/	67/6
Contributing	—	4/			

The Australasian Mining Exchange Company report a sale of Anglo-Australian Land at 7½, buyer £7 9s., seller 7½: Marshall's Brewery, seller 1s. premium.

The adjourned annual general meeting of shareholders of the Mercantile Building, Land, and Investment Company, Limited, was held at the company's offices, Park and Castlereagh streets, this evening, Mr. Saunders in the chair. The report was unanimously adopted, and the meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

In the Import markets trade continues very quiet, having throughout the week been about as dull as it well could be. The dry weather throughout the country is restricting the volume of trade very materially. The strike has now intervened as a depressing element. The outlook is decidedly the reverse of cheering, and until rain falls there will be anxiety as to the future. The flour market, under the influence of the advices of strengthening values in Europe, has advanced. Roller brands, £9 5s. to £10 10s.; stone makes, £8 10s. to £9 5s.; wheat, 4s. The southern markets are going up. A telegram from Adelaide to-day says that "markets are advancing steadily; there are no sellers of wheat." One firm has orders to put two brands off the market. From New Zealand we learn that the market is rising. From Christchurch, under date 14th August, Messrs. Kaye and Carter report that all the available space by steamer and sailer had been eagerly taken up. Prices had advanced 2d. to 3d., and were quoted:—Tuscan and pearl, 3s.; roller flour, £8; stone, £7 10s. The English market is reported as still having an upward tendency, and the quotation for wheat is now higher than it has been for several years past. A London cablegram, dated 22nd August, received by the New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company, Limited, reads as follows:—

"Wheat.—There is some speculation, but it is not likely to continue. Market has an upward tendency. Adelaide wheat is worth 38s. 6d. per 496lb.; Victorian wheat is worth 37s. per 496lb.: Adelaide wheat, f.a.q., is worth, c.i.f., to arrive, 38s. 6d. per 480lb."

In tea the trade has been decidedly quiet. From Messrs. Alfred Harvey and Co.'s Melbourne circular of yesterday we learn that about one-third of the cargo of the Angers is known to be damaged, assistance having gone to save the balance. So far as Melbourne is concerned, it is said that a considerable quantity of good first crop for distributing houses was known to be on board, the loss of which could not be replaced except at an advance on present rates. The Melbourne market position is thus described:—

"Public sales have continued, 31 catalogues being issued, covering 90,000 packages, nearly the whole being taken by the trade at firm to advancing rates, the diminution in quarter-chests and boxes congou being very great. Scented orange pekoes and gunpowders are also in small supply; the former principally consisted of fine kinds, for which the demand is limited, while there is an absence of lower grades, with a very strong market. Scented capers are well represented, and of excellent quality, but quite out of favour, prices paid being extremely low—3d. per lb. below cost being the result of several sales. Gunpowders also meet with no support. There is a continued absence of good saryunes and padraes, but kaisow buds in the better kinds are well represented. Common kinds, however, are not yet to hand in quantity, hence a very strong demand continues for lowest quotation. Our telegraphic advices quote an easier feeling in Foo Chow for all common kinds, with no selection above that grade remaining. This confirms previous wires, prices having throughout continued advancing, so making earliest settlements best value of the season. At the various sales those ex Ghazee went steadily, values remaining on a par with opening rates. Those ex Tetartos, in consequence of higher cost, dragged somewhat, but the trade, upon the whole, paid the advance demanded. The Tsinan shipments established an improvement in common of about ½d. per lb., full market value being bid for every line offered and sold. For good first-crop panyongs importers demanded a further rise in value, partly through higher cost, and also in consequence of known short supply, several fair chops being held over, so that at the last sales, although higher prices were paid, enhanced cost of later purchases made the result unsatisfactory to importers."

The recent shipments of 5000 half-chests of Indian teas ex Bucephalus and Bundahra brought good value in Melbourne. Advices from Calcutta indicate much increased shipments, the excellence of the cup value, it is said, being more marked than for some time past. To-day the demand for coffee has been supplied on the basis of 9½d. for No. 1 Ceylon plantation; Barry's chicory, 2⅝d. Epps's cocoa, 1s. 6d.; Van Houten's, moving off at 3s. 6d. In dried fruits there is steady trade; currants, prime fruit, 5d.; elemes, 4¾d. to 5d.; a parcel placed for export at 3d., in bond; sultanas, 5⅝d. to 5¾d. Dates are dearer, and may be quoted at 2½d. Moir's jam is quoted at 6s. 9d. The colonial jams are now selling at rather higher prices. Peacock's moving off at 3s. 6d. Fine table rice is rather lower, and may be quoted at £14 10s.*; for parcels to arrive 5s. less is accepted. Lower grades are still selling from £11 10s. Sago and tapioca, 2½d. Pepper, black, 8½d.; white, 1s. 1½d. Sugar in moderate request, market firm at £23 to £24 5s. for Queensland whites, £20 to £22 for yellows, and from £16 10s. for ration. Keen's mustard, 4s. 3d., 7s., and 15s., for quarters, halves, and pounds respectively in good lines; Durham, 6¾d. Candles are still heavily stocked, and 5⅝d to 5⅝d. is a full range of values for stearines, 5¼d. to 5⅝d. for paraffins. Rock salt is scarce, and worth 85s., Liverpool coarse salt, 75s. In liquids, there is rather more inquiry for bottled ale at up to 10s. 6d., and 7s. 3d. for quarts and pints, respectively, of best brands. Pig stout moving off at 9s. 4½d. and 6s. 4½d. Blood's stout also noticed at current rates. For bulk ale there is very little inquiry. Hennessy's brandy, both single and three star, scarce, 35s. and 46s. 3d. being the respective quotations; for three star to arrive 46s. was paid. Geneva is selling from 10s. 9d., and Burnett's Old Tom from 9s. 9d. Very little inquiry for Loundes' rum, 3s. 1½d. in hogsheads and quarters is the current rate; other rum from 2s. 9d. Leading brands of whisky in moderate request. A parcel of cheap whisky cleared off at a low price. There is scarcely any inquiry for brewers' goods; English hops, 1s. 4d.; Tasmanian, 1s. 1d. to 1s. 2d.; English malt, 6s. to 6s. 6d. The trade in tobacco is extremely quiet. Two Seas brand scarce, a supply having been obtained from Melbourne. In metals, we note sales of two parcels of No. 10 fencing wire at £10 15s.; small lines going off at £11 to £11 5s.: No. 8, at £10; sheet lead, £17. Galvanised iron dull of sale at from £18 to £19. Muntz metal steady at 9d. Wire nails, 13s. 6d. IC coke tin plates, 16s. to 16s. 3d. With the higher freights and the prospect of a still further advance, consequent on the agreement among the hitherto competing shipping associations, it seems to be only a question of time when metals and other heavy goods must advance beyond the present generally unremunerative prices. Cement, which is now coming forward at a freight of 6s. 3d. per barrel, is firm at 17s. to 17s. 9d., according to brand. A shipment of American plaster, to arrive, in large barrels, was placed at 16s. Bangor slates, 20 x 10's, are worth £11, and American £8 10s. Business done in Baltic deals to arrive. Kerosene oil, from 1s. 7d. for high test, and from 1s. 6d. for low. Castor steady at 2s. 7d. China firm at 3s. Linseed oil, raw and boiled, worth 2s. 10d. to 3s. 1d. in drum. 3d. less in keg. The parcel trade in drugs is very dull, and a few lines outside the hands of ordinary importers are procurable at reduced quotations. Soda crystals, however, are not over-plentiful, and are worth £5 5s. With carbonate of soda the market is glutted, and it is offered at £7; 70 per cent. caustic soda, procurable at £11; cream of tartar, 1s. 2½d.; tartaric acid, 1s. 7d., in kegs; sulphur, £12. Not much doing in jute goods; woolpacks, in small lots, are selling at 2s., cornsacks at 6s. 3d., bran bags, 5s.

The ship Bay of Cadiz arrived to-day from London with a general cargo valued at £30,400.

The following was the Customs revenue received to-day:—

Spirits, £1640 13s. 3d.; wine (still), £75 3s. 5d.; wine (sparkling), £32; ale, porter, and beer (in bottles), £230 7s. 3d.; tobacco and snuff, £335 2s.; cigars, £83 1s. 5d.; cigarettes, £419 12s. 6d.; tea, £361 6s.; coffee, £11 15s.; coffee (raw), £162 15s. 6d.; chicory (raw), 3s. 6d.; sugar (unrefined), £21 10s. 10d.; opium, £96 10s.; rice, £34 13s. 5d.; dried fruits, £1 10s. Specific Duty: Bacon and hams, £1 7s. 6d.; biscuits, 3s.; candles, £11s. 8d.; cement, £50; cheese, £47 6s. 10d.; cocoa and chocolate, £37 6s. 8d.; confectionery, £49 4s. 7d.; fish, £3 9s. 7d.; galvanised iron, £73 13s. 7d.; galvanised manufactures, £25 16s. 11d.; iron and steel wire, £175 5s.; milk, £407; oil, kerosene, £60; oils, in bottle, £5 1s. 3d.; oils, other, £113 13s. 3d; paints, £35 16s. 8d.; powder, sporting, £2 8s.; preserves, £5; salt, £250; shot, £80; shutters, 16s.; timber, dressed, £48 15s.; timber, undressed, £134 8s. 9d.; harbour and light rates, £90 16s. 4d.; pilotage, Sydney, £90 16s. 4d.; excise on tobacco, £25 3s. 9d.; excise on beer, £192 3s. 9d.: total, £5501 11s. 6d.

As advertised, the business of Messrs. A. Tange and Co. will be continued under the management of Mr. Henry P. Tange and Charles Costlow.

PRODUCE SALE.

John Bridge reports:—Hides: Smaller supplies than for many sales, caused a jump of ⅛d (one-eighth) on all weights, tanners taking prime qualities, although export account was stimulated. Also I obtained 3d to 3¼d for best heavies; green heavies, 2⅞d to 3d; prime medium weights, 2⅞d to 3⅛d; green, 2⅜d to 2⅝d; prime lights, 2⅞d to 3⅛d (several lines on my catalogue reached 3¼d); green lights, 2⅞d to 3⅛d; dry prime, 3d to 3⅛d; faulty, 2d to 2⅝d. I sold 1942. Tallow: Also limited quantity forward, extremely firm demand, exporters buying largely. Prime mutton, £19 10s to £21; prime beef, £18 10s or £18 15s to £19 5s; good, £18 7s 6d; fair, £17 5s; lower qualities, £17. I sold 102 casks at these figures. Bark: Demand runs on prime at £7 12s 6d to £8 2s 6d; Tasmanian to £8 15s; medium, £6 to £7 5s; inferior extremely dull, to £5.—24th August, 1888.—Advt.]

LATEST COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Business was of large extent to-day. Towards the close the announcement of the regrettable strike at the Newcastle collieries occupied a good deal of attention. It is believed that it will very injuriously affect the market if long continued. Some inquiry has been made as to the prices of the Newcastle coal companies, but buyers look for much lower rates, and no fair market quotations can be given. Business in bank shares was of moderate extent. City, Colonial, and Commercial quitted at late reduced rates. National had lower price. Colonial Investment, H. J. Arnold and Company, City and County Bank, Real Estate Bank, Australian Financial Agency, and Tramway and Omnibus, sold at lower prices. Hydraulic Power and Greig and Murray realised improved prices.

The commencement of the strike has given rise to the expectation that more tonnage will be available for charter from this port, and lower rates of freight appear. The probable effect of the strike upon trade is much discussed. A hopeful feeling prevails that the strike will not be of long duration. The quantity of wheat in the market is not large. Prime Wimmera wheat is quoted at 3s. 7½d. to 3s. 8d., f.o.b.; sellers a penny more. Sales of 2500 bags, off quality, 3s. 5d. to 3s. 6d. Oats are very firm. There is an active inquiry for sugar, and prices are firm. Tea is rather quiet. In jute goods gunnies are obtainable at much reduced rates. The strike has occasioned a strong demand for candles, sales including 750 boxes Schiedam, at rates advancing to 6¾d. Forward business in salmon was completed on a moderate scale, covering 12,000 to 15,000 cases. Parcels of currants, sultanas, and elemes placed for export. There is a demand for kerosene, and sales are made of about 2000 at 11½d.

Sales.—Commercial Bank, £9 17s.; Federal Bank, 71s.; Tramway and Omnibus, 55s. 6d.

BRISBANE, Friday.

Trade has been dull during the week, and most of the business done has been in view of the expected change in the tariff. Sugar has advanced in price, and as stocks are small a further advance is looked for. The present quotations are—First whites, £20 to £22; second whites, £17 16s. to £19; rations, £14 to £16. Flour is firm, with an upward tendency. One large firm received instructions from the south to hold out for £11. Maize is scarce at 3s. 3d. to 3s. 6d.; oats, 3s. 1d. to 3s. 3d.; potatoes, £5 10s. to £5 15s.; oaten hay, imported, £7 10s. to £8.

ADELAIDE, Friday.

The wheat market continues very strong, and is, in consequence, somewhat unsettled, in view of the English markets advancing. Holders are disinclined to sell. Very little wheat is offered, and business continues quiet. We quote a firm market—3s. 9d. for shipping parcels at Port Adelaide, farmer's lots 3s. 8d; at the outports, 3s. 8d. nominal, in the absence of sales. Flour remains quiet, with a hardening market. Patent roller, £8 15s. to £9; ordinary superfine, £8; household, £6 5s.

THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

Melbourne, 7 p.m.
Adelaide, 7 p.m.
Hobart and Launceston, 7 p.m.
Queensland, 3 and 9.30 p.m.
Hobart and Launceston, via Eden, 9 a.m.
Richmond River, 11 a.m. and 3 p.m.
Brisbane and Northern Ports, 6 p.m.
Brisbane, Northern Ports, and Thursday Island, 12 noon.
Townsville, Cooktown, Thursday Island, and Hongkong, 12 noon.
Townsville, Cooktown, Thursday Island, Port Darwin, and Hongkong, 6 p.m.
Macleay River, 8 p.m.
Clarence River, 8 p.m.

MONDAY.

Port Macquarie and Fernmount, 3 p.m.
Manning River, 5 p.m.

TUESDAY.

Brisbane and Northern Ports, 3 and 4 p.m.
Southern Ports of New Zealand and Wellington, 5.30 p.m.
Clarence River, 8 p.m.

THURSDAY.

Perth (W.A.) and Continent of Europe, overland to Melbourne, and thence per Orient Company's steamer Garonne, 2.30 p.m.
United Kingdom, overland to Melbourne, and thence per Orient Company's steamer Garonne, 3 p.m.
Auckland and all New Zealand Ports, 3 p.m.

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ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION THIS DAY.

C. F. HUMPHRIS.—At Darling Harbour, at 9.30, Hay, &c.
A. VIDER.—At his Rooms, at 11, Poultry.
E. FRENCH.—At Newtown Markets, at 3, Furniture, &c.
GARRARD and HAMILTON.—On the ground, Balmain, at 3, Houses and Land.
T. R. SMITH.—On the ground, North Annandale, at 3, Land.
J. P. LISTER.—At Rooms, at 10, Furniture, &c.
W. A. BRODIE and CO.—On the ground, Parramatta, at 3.30, Land.
HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN.—At their Stores, at 10, Sheepskins.
F. L. BARKER.—At Stores, at 9.30, Horns, &c.; at 10, Skins.
O'BRIEN BROS.—On the premises, Elswick and Marion streets, Leichhardt, at 3, Drapery, Fancy Goods, &c.
THE REGISTRAR.—At the Courthouse, Macquarie-street, at 11, Land.
J. B. TAYLOR.—At their Mart, Paddington, at 3, Furniture, &c.

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The Sydney Morning Herald.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 25, 1888.

Her Majesty the Queen formally opened the new municipal buildings at Glasgow on Wednesday, when she was received with great enthusiasm.

The See of Chester is to be retained by Dr. Stubbs until November. His successor has not yet been appointed. Dr. Barry denies that he has resigned the See of Sydney.

It seems that the rejection of the Fisheries Treaty has caused little or no excitement, either in America or Canada. It is thought that existing relations will be continued.

So soon as the Australian colonies notify their adhesion to the tariff of the Postal Bureau convention, it is proposed to submit a revised scheme for re-partition.

It is stated in connection with the rebellion in Afghanistan that the Turkestan troops are remaining faithful to the Ameer.

The seat in the House of Commons for Merthyr Tydvil is to be contested in the Unionist interest by Mr. William Pritchard Morgan.

A large collection of British seaweed is being sent to the Melbourne Exhibition.

The Zulu chief Dinizulu has escaped from General Smyth, and taken refuge in the Lebombo Mountains.

The Italian Premier is believed to visit Friedrichsruhe with the object of discussing the results of the recent meeting of the Emperor William with the Czar of Russia.

The French Minister of Marine has ordered the immediate equipment of eight new ironclads.

The *Times* says that Signor Crispi's visit to Germany is likely to cause excitement on the Continent, owing to the unsatisfactory relations between France and Italy.

The German press considers that Signor Crispi's note to M. Goblet resembles a memorandum intended to provoke a war.

The Eastern Telegraph Company will land their third cable at Roebuck Bay (W. A.).

The American House of Representatives has passed the Chinese Restriction Bill.

Prince Bismarck has resigned as Minister of Commerce in the Prussian Government.

Work at all the collieries in the Newcastle district

ceased yesterday afternoon, at 4 o'clock. The men took away their implements, and the pits were soon deserted. A good deal of excitement prevailed at the time they came out, but beyond this there was no disorder.

THE opinion in Sydney in connection with the strike is that the men have forced it upon themselves, and upon all sides they are condemned. Mr. J. Fletcher, M.L.A., says that he believes the strike will be a long one—in all probability extending over three, four, or five months.

THE intelligence that the Newcastle miners resolved to strike was received with great regret in Melbourne. The gas company resolved to reduce the pressure on the gas, and the coal merchants suspended their contracts.

THERE is said to be very little coal in Melbourne at the present time, and not much wood. Some foundries have two months' supply in hand; others not two days'. Should the strike last long, the engineering shops will be stopped, and building operations paralysed.

IN South Australia the railway authorities have secured several thousand tons of coal, and hope to tide over the difficulty. It is believed that one result of the strike will be to open up fresh sources of supply, greatly to the detriment of Newcastle.

IT is stated that coal in New Zealand is likely to be advanced 2s. per ton.

THE managing director of the Union Shipping Company of New Zealand denies that there is any foundation for the rumour that the shipowners desire to introduce Asiatic labour in order to break down the eight hours' system.

IN connection with the annual prize meeting of the Inland Rifle Association, Queensland, the Queen's prize has been won by James Stirling, of Toowoomba.

THERE is a movement on foot in South Australia for the formation of a treaty with Queensland, under which South Australian wines, fruits, jams, breadstuffs, and dairy produce will be admitted into Queensland free, in return for the admission into South Australia, free of duty, of Queensland sugar.

IT is generally understood that the present session of Parliament in Queensland will close in October.

SPEAKING to the employees of the Narrabri railway station, Mr. Schey, M.L.A., adverted to the change in the railway administration, and anticipated that it would be for the better. He added that 1000 men had been taken out of the railway employ in New South Wales, whilst 1000 had been added to the Victorian railways.

IN spite of the serious outlook as to the weather, 5000 acres were conditionally selected at the Lands Office, Narrabri, yesterday.

THE drought in the West appears to be playing great havoc with the squatters. The season is the worst that has been known for many years. Many sheep are dying, and the outlook generally is said to be a dismal one.

THE P. and O. Company's R.M.S. Oceana, from London, is due in port this morning.

LATE last night the city and suburbs were enveloped in a thick fog, which to a certain extent impeded harbour traffic, but no serious inconvenience resulted.

A CONJOINED meeting of the Amalgamated and Progressive Societies of Carpenters and Joiners has agreed to a number of rules regulating the trade in Sydney and suburbs. These are to be presented to the employers through the Builders and Contractors' Association, and will probably be brought up at the next regular meeting of that body.

THE Under-Secretary for Public Instruction has promised to obtain and lay before the Minister for Education reports regarding the school accommodation at Bowral. It is the desire of the residents to have a new public school there.

IN reply to a deputation, who asked for the construction of a tramway to the Field of Mars, the Premier yesterday promised to lay the petitions and arguments before his colleagues.

A FATAL tram accident is reported from Melbourne to Charles Wesley Caddy, formerly a school teacher.

IN the Banco Court yesterday, in the appeal of the Sydney Newspaper Publishing Company, an opinion was expressed by the Judges that the decision of the District Court Judge deciding against the plaintiffs on the ground that a certain contract for advertising was illegal, was a right one.

AT a meeting at the Town Hall yesterday evening a resolution was carried protesting against the employment of Asiatic labour on mail steamers subsidised by the Government.

THE remainder of the cargo of the steamship Zealandia was unloaded yesterday by the ship's crew, assisted by a few non-union hands, with the exception of a few articles of merchandise, which will be taken out this morning.

IT was decided, at a meeting of Scandinavians yesterday evening, to draw up subscription lists on behalf of the sufferers by the recent fire at Lundsvale and Umea, Sweden.

IN the Supreme Court action of Davies v. the National Fire and Marine Insurance Company of New Zealand, the jury have found a verdict in favour of the plaintiffs, awarding £887 3s. 2d. on the fire policy, and £2134 0s. 5d. upon the open marine policy, subject, however, to certain reductions agreed upon by counsel.

THE military authorities have already received a large number of applications for the formation of rifle clubs under the new regulations. Most of the clubs are in the country districts. Some will be entirely new bodies, but others will simply be reorganisations of existing reserve companies.

THE 26th concert of the Metropolitan Liedertafel was given in the New Masonic Hall last night. There was a large audience, and the affair was a great success.

The remarkable jockey case of Wood versus the *Licensed Victuallers' Gazette*, which has occupied the law courts in London, has not only been of interest to the sporting circle, but has raised several questions of current morality for the settlement of which there is no court in existence, but which get practically determined by the opinion of society. England has not yet ceased to be an aristocratic country, at least so far as manners are concerned, and what is conduct becoming a gentleman and what is unbecoming is still a matter of importance to those who do not wish to be "sent to Coventry." Those who bewail the corruption of the times are always telling us that the chivalric idea of the English gentleman has passed away; that it no longer pays to live up to that standard; and that enthusiasts who still believe in the antiquated theory of life are respected, but held slightly in contempt, while men who shape themselves to a lower standard can snatch the passing profit of a less ambitious style of life, and yet run no risk of social ostracism. It is very doubtful, however, whether the standard of morals has fallen. All that is quite certain is that many persons who more or less figure in public, and some of whom have handles to their names, are not worthy of their social status. But just as one swallow does not make a summer, so neither does a black sheep determine the colour of the whole flock. Men who are lords by title may not be gentlemen by nature, and if they happen to disclose their moral nature by any transaction which brings them for the time under public criticism, we must not infer from this that the tone of morality has fallen generally. The only test is the extent to which the idea of a gentleman has been depreciated, and that will be discovered very largely by the Press criticisms on conduct which is undoubtedly questionable, and by the extent to which offences against a fine sense of honour are either resented or condoned.

One of the special points in the trial to which we have alluded was the production of a private letter, written by the young Duke of PORTLAND to Lord DURHAM. That it was a private letter there is no manner of doubt; the familiarity of its style proved that quite sufficiently. Letters are sometimes written purporting to be private which are obviously meant to be shown about, and if they are so shown the object of the writer is answered. But it is clear on the face of it that this letter by the Duke of PORTLAND was never meant to meet the public eye. Yet Lord DURHAM showed it to counsel, and Sir CHARLES RUSSELL, not considering himself under any restraint, compelled Lord DURHAM to produce it in court. In the English press the point of honour has been raised whether Lord DURHAM ought to have shown the letter, and whether counsel was justified in taking advantage of what was practically a violation of the code of honour. Of the two offenders the learned gentleman will, no doubt, be the more leniently dealt with. He may say that professionally he was only concerned with the interests of his client, that he was in no way the guardian of Lord DURHAM'S honour, and that if that gentleman had been indiscreet enough to allow evidence to come into his hands, he was not under any obligation to let his client's cause suffer by keeping that evidence in the dark. The casuistry of pleading is still an unsettled science, and gentlemen of the long robe will very likely differ in their estimate of Sir CHARLES RUSSELL'S conduct. But whether he was justified or not in forcing it into court, he was certainly responsible for causing the publication of a private letter. However much it might have been passed from hand to hand, it had never previously become public property. It had never got into the press, and probably never would have done but for the learned gentleman, and by the course he pursued he has added a new terror to confidential correspondence. But the letter could never have got into the lawyer's hands if Lord DURHAM had not shown it, and he is therefore primarily responsible for the publicity which the letter has received.

A society journal has very fairly contrasted this disclosure of correspondence with the fine conduct of Sir ROBERT PEEL, who, when suffering acutely under one of Mr. DISRAELI'S bitter philippics, mildly replied that the hon. gentleman had not always thought so meanly of him, nor had he always been so unwilling to see him in office. To this statement a fierce denial was given, and Sir ROBERT PEEL had in his pocket all the time a letter the production of which would have justified his statement and would have confounded his assailant. But he kept it back. There are some who will say he was a fool for his pains, but others will say that it was the conduct of a gentleman. Does any one ask whether the tone of society is corrupt? The answer will depend upon whether there are more who praise Sir ROBERT'S conduct or who deride it. The moral instinct of those who approve is certainly healthy; those who sneer want treatment by the moral doctor. The rule in such a case is not a difficult one to find. There would have been an immediate gain by the violation of confidence, but there would have been an ultimate loss of reputation even to Sir ROBERT PEEL himself, and a greater damage done to the cause of social morals if a man so eminent in position had demeaned himself for personal advantage.

The whole question of the publication of private correspondence has some special interest for us in these colonies, and especially for our politicians, because more than once private letters have been produced in Parliamentary debate, and private conversations have been retailed simply for the purpose of making a passing point, or degrading an antagonist. In Parliament, which ought to be the first assembly of gentlemen in the land, such base betrayal should be resented, and the offenders should stand dishonoured. Nothing but a great and real public necessity could justify it, and that necessity should be clear beyond all doubt. A man with a nice sense of honour will, if he errs at all, err on the right side.

The misunderstanding which has arisen among some of the members of the Fine Arts Committee representing this colony at the Melbourne Exhibition, with regard to the hanging of certain pictures, has formed the subject of some correspondence in our columns during the week. It appears that a member of the Committee thought fit to object to one or two of the pictures because of some alleged impropriety in the treatment or in the subjects, and he was not alone in his objection. The Commissioner himself withdrew one of these paintings from the walls, and one of the Committee ordered the withdrawal of others. On the other hand, the Commissioner is reported to have protested against this gentleman's action, and, cruelly enough, to have questioned his capacity to form a valuable opinion on Fine Art subjects at all. Another member of the Committee, speaking as a lover of art, added his protest against the action of his colleague. Correspondents who have written us during the week echo both sides of the case as it was thus presented, and discuss the evil effect of the exhibition of objectionable pictures, as well as the question of art which is involved in matters of the kind. This opens up the question as to where the artistic element ends in pictures of this character, and where that objectionable feature comes in which disguises itself under pretence of art, while in reality it is something substantially and wholly different.

This is a consideration which is not by any means confined to pictures, for it is daily found entering more and more into all those concerns of life in which art has any place, whether in painting, in literature, on the stage, or elsewhere. It is clear enough that if any hard-and-fast lines were allowed to fix themselves here, the development of the artistic side of life would be considerably circumscribed. Many of those very well-meaning people who indulge themselves in the holding of narrow views with the best intentions would possibly prefer to deal with this subject at once and for all, rather than enter into any consideration of its merits or demerits. There is a kind of *bourgeois* virtue which is not always intelligent, and which certainly is not at all artistic, that would rather burn all objects of art together, like SAVONAROLA, than collect a gallery like that of the Vatican, with the chance that some severely classical Apollo might find admission there. Every respect is due to the earnestness of persons whose morality is of a good and workable kind in all probability, although it may fail a little on the side of what MATTHEW ARNOLD would call "sweet reasonableness." No fair consideration can be given to a subject like this unless the fullest allowance is made for what this class of critic contends for—that is, the evil effect, whether social or moral, that the public exhibition of the wantonness of art may have on the dull minds of those who, like themselves, have no artistic perception and no sense of the romance of art or its infinite and manifold suggestiveness, and who can only see in a picture or a piece of statuary that which it expresses for them. Such persons as these require protection against themselves. At the same time it is only right, while giving every fair consideration to their scruples and weaknesses, that they should not be allowed to fix the canons of art and taste for other people who happen to be able to view these pictures with a cleaner or more educated eye. This question of alleged impropriety in art will have to be considered from an artistic point of view, if the desire be to adjust it to the satisfaction of cultivated people of average morality, who are not afflicted with that particular kind of virtue which would whitewash a Titian or a Giorgione, and hang snuff-coloured drapery over an Anadyomene or on the noble shoulders of a Venus of Milo.

The painter has his individuality as well as every other artist. Just as one musician will give us light opera, while another composes Doric funeral marches, so CUYP and TURNER and SALVATOR ROSA will give us landscapes, while LANDSEER and ROSA BONHEUR put animals on their canvas, and APELLES and Sir FREDERIC LEIGHTON pourtray the human figure. To have confined the effort of any one of these artists to a branch of their art other than the one in which they became famous would have been to destroy individuality and strangle genius, and quite as silly as to ask OFFENBACH to compose MOZART'S imperishable "Requiem." Rigid rules of any kind are but the mechanism invented to stifle Art, and "crush her pretty maiden fancies dead in iron gauntlets." Art is eclectic in its range, and it can idealise everything it touches, whether the artist work with brush, or pen, or chisel. Thus DANTE'S episode of Ugolino is as much a piece of art as his story of Francesca da Rimini; just as a scene of horror on canvas is as effective from an artistic point of view as the softest landscape, and the marble "Ajax" as the "Reading Girl." Each is beautiful after its kind, and every kind is dictated by a difference in taste to which it would be egregious to attempt to set bounds. That branch of Art that concerns itself with the human figure is surely at least as worthy of consideration as any other, even if the subject to which it consecrates itself be not allowed to place it upon a higher and a nobler plane. If the physical structure of man be the greatest visible work of the CREATOR, those certainly may be excused who find the highest form of imitative art in the attempt to copy it in marble or on canvas. If the masterpieces that apotheosise the human form were withdrawn from the art-treasuries of the world, who would care to say how much humanity would be the loser in all that expresses what is finest in the interest and emotion and passion of life—its pathos, its ideality, and all its high endeavour?

But it is from those who use Art as a disguise that its real danger comes, and not so much from the honest people who object to undraped statues and to paintings that are not supposed to be hung as a usual thing in shop windows. There are *gavroches* in art and literature as well as of the kennels—unscrupulous tricksters who are capable of using the forms of art for the most miserable ends. The most hideous realist in literature shelters himself behind a plea that all he does is in obedience to the teaching of an art which leads him, as one of the apologists of the school puts it, to look upon the whole of life as an immense studio filled with models, each of which has the same value in his sight. And from the honest critic's standpoint this view of the case is entirely unimpeachable. But it is the *gamin* who cunningly finds in such a statement a justification for his own mercenary knavery that sedulously battens on the most repulsive of these models, and lingers over and returns to them again and again, until the baser taste he panders for is glutted. The work of FLAUBERT, the father of French realism, offers a singular example of this distinction in a certain limited degree. That writer's "Madame Bovary" was such an uncompromising dissection of the morality of the middle classes, and so mercilessly microscopic in its detail, that the Government, unsuccessfully, prosecuted the *Revue de Paris* that published this work, which is better known than approved by English readers. "Salammbô," which followed, was quite as scrupulously faithful to detail, and its subject was equally delicate; but in these pages the writer had before him a finer and more artistic conception, so that his treatment is clear-cut and more pure, and the tone always high. This is a work of art, or nothing; but the Zolaism which succeeded FLAUBERT and learnt only his mistakes, like the painters who degrade the leaders of the "Salon," shelters itself as vainly under the pretext of art as the picture that exhibits an unseemly presentment simply because the lower tastes it appeals to will possibly make it sell. There is, unfortunately, a class of picture of this character which has no more in common with Art than light with darkness, and this is the kind of thing that lends occasional point to *bourgeois* criticism. The distinction between this contemptible caricature and true Art is as wide as the limits of space. But while the manifestations of the one wherever seen are to be honestly abominated and abhorred, our disgust need not lead us to place limits to the opportunities of humble imitators of the works of those great masters for whose passing the congregations of the dead made room.

At four o'clock yesterday afternoon work ceased in the collieries of the Hunter River District. It ceased because the miners who had previously been employed and working in those collieries had decided to throw up that employment and to discontinue work. The decision was first made known when, at an aggregate meeting on the 28th July, it was resolved that fourteen days' notice to cease work should be given. The decision was confirmed by a ballot taken at the various lodges, the returns of which showed 3005 votes for it and 893 against. It was carried into effect two days later, when the notices were served upon the proprietors. The notices have now expired. It is well to look at this bare outline of the case, to avoid any confusion that might be caused by considering side issues. The miners are supposed to be free agents. They have done what they had power to do and the legal right to do. They have done it with their eyes open and by deliberate preference. They are now at large and unemployed entirely by their own will and act. No one could have compelled them to work, and no one but themselves is responsible for their voluntary discontinuance of work. They were, it is true, in many cases, though not in all, discontented with the conditions under which they had been working; but, of their own will, they chose to put themselves out of work and sever the relations between themselves and their employers, when it was within their power to continue in employment and negotiate for new conditions with more or less hope of success. We pointed out, ten or eleven days ago, that if they wished to win the sympathy of the public, they would have to recede from the position they had then taken up. They have refused to recede, although in the meanwhile earnest efforts were made by benevolent and disinterested men to smooth the way. We may be sorry for them; but, where sympathy is concerned, that is reserved for their families, for the unoffending labourers and artisans in other trades, whom their voluntary action will throw out of employment, for all who will suffer directly or indirectly through this headstrong resort to extreme measures when a better way was open to their choice. We have spoken of the miners who have given up the occupation of their lives as free agents. Perhaps there should be some reservation in the use of the term. They may all have been free once; but how many are there who, if each felt at liberty to do what in cool judgment he thought best, would gladly persevere in honourable and fairly-paid work? Nearly nine hundred declared in favour of that course by their votes; these and probably many more are now in idleness because, as free agents, they have placed their freedom of action in the hands of other men. They will be entitled to sympathy if, with the opportunity now before them, they ask themselves whether they have acted wisely or well. How long the disturbance caused by this voluntary abandonment of work will last is a question of uncertainty, because it is impossible to foretell what influences—those of reason or those of passion—will prevail. It is to be hoped that soon, and in some way, a spirit of consideration and regard for others will assume the sway. When one man, dissatisfied with his employment, casts it aside and trusts to chance, a few surrounding him may be the worse, but the gap closes up, as when a pebble sinks in a pond. When thousands of men, engaged in procuring an article of general need, suddenly and simultaneously take a similar course, a public calamity occurs. It is unfortunate that the community should be liable to such a shock; but if the result should be to reduce the monopoly of the Hunter River collieries by bringing effective competition into the field, the evil may be mitigated in some degree.

The rejection of the Canadian Fisheries Treaty by the Senate of the United States is a matter to be regretted, but not a cause for surprise. It was anticipated from the first. When the negotiations were being conducted, it was doubtful for a considerable time whether they would lead to any result; but when the negotiators had succeeded in preparing a treaty which was not so utterly in favour of the United States as to discourage opposition there, it seemed likely that the question of its adoption or rejection would be treated on party lines. To make the treaty odious before the people and to ensure its rejection would be to strike a heavy blow at the Administration identified with it, and to diminish President CLEVELAND'S chances of re-election. Accordingly, it has been almost impossible to find a brush too big to lay on the black paint with. Some of the language used in denouncing it has been almost ludicrous in its violence. In the Republican "platform," adopted at the Chicago Convention in June last, it was said, "We arraign the present Democratic Administration for its weak and unpatriotic treatment of the Fisheries question and its pusillanimous surrender of the essential privileges to which our fishing vessels are entitled in Canadian ports." And now we have the treaty rejected in the Senate, where the Republican party predominates, that party giving 30 votes against the treaty to 27 in support of it from the other side. Another influence also has doubtless contributed to this result. The settlement of the question would have removed one cause of embarrassment from the relations between Great Britain and the United States. There is a party in the United States to whom nothing would be more distasteful than such an achievement as that, and American politicians are not always above bidding for the anti-British vote. This will probably account in some measure for the remarkable vigour of some of the language used. It is a pity that any possible cause of friction should exist between the Governments of the two countries; but too much importance should not be attached, under the circumstances, to the fate of this particular treaty, the adoption of which might not have provided fully against all sources of dispute or guaranteed full satisfaction on both sides. It is to be noted that Mr. BAYARD, the American Secretary of State, is not dejected at the vote; and, as our New York correspondent intimated on the 22nd ultimo, the question may be revived at some future day under more favourable auspices.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

THE Executive Council, according to an announcement in yesterday's *Government Gazette*, has approved of the abolition of the board for inspecting and maintaining the supply of colonial warlike stores.

MR. INGLIS, Minister for Public Instruction, and Mr. Abigail, Minister for Mines, are expected to return from their trip to Cobar by the mail train this morning. Sir Henry Parkes arrived from Singleton, per steamer, about 5 o'clock yesterday morning. The hon. Premier was at his office before 9 o'clock.

MR. HAWTHORNE, M.L.A., having written to and interviewed the Colonial Treasurer in reference to a report which has been circulated among the residents of Balmain and Leichhardt that it was the intention of the Government to resume boiling-down operations at the Glebe Island abattoir, has received the following reply:—"The Treasury, New South Wales, Sydney, 24th August, 1888. Sir,—I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of a letter, dated 21st instant, from the council clerk of Leichhardt, addressed to yourself, on the subject of boiling-down at the Glebe Island abattoir. I am directed by the Colonial Treasurer to inform you, in reply, that the Government will not permit boiling down to be resumed at the abattoir under any pretence whatever. I have the honour to be, sir, your obedient servant, G. EDGAR. J. S. Hawthorne, Esq., M.P., &c., Leichhardt."

THE death is announced of the Marquis de Rostaing, Vice-consul of France in Sydney. The Marquis, who has been in this colony for nearly two years, was very popular amongst the French residents, and a prominent member of the Cercle Française. He has been in feeble health for some time, and has lately been attended by Dr. Laure.

THE formation of the new rifle clubs, which will gradually take the place of the old Reserve regiments, is rapidly proceeding, and the military authorities have already received a large number of applications from gentlemen who are desirous of forming themselves into rifle clubs under the new regulations. Seven of these applications have already been dealt with in the Staff Office, and have been forwarded to the Colonial Secretary for final approval, and it is expected that at least 30 or 40 more applications will be received. So for most of the clubs which it is desired to start are situated in the country districts, and some of them will be entirely new bodies, whilst others will simply be reorganisations of existing reserve companies. It seems that in some quarters there has been a good deal of misunderstanding with regard to the quality of the rifle which is to be supplied to these clubs. As it is of course necessary to always keep on hand a large stock of the best guns for use in case of emergency, the Martini-Henry rifles which are in the possession of the Government will still be kept in store, and the Henry rifle will be supplied free of cost to the clubs. Members, however, who may be desirous of obtaining Martini-Henrys for prize-shooting purposes can do so on payment of the actual cost of the weapon. It is considered that for the purpose of teaching men how to shoot straight, which, after all, is the *raison d'etre* of these clubs, the Henry rifle is quite as good as the Martini-Henry, and indeed there is but little actual difference in the shooting capacity of the two weapons. The barrels are exactly identical in either case, and the same cartridge is fired, the only thing which can possibly affect the shooting being the breech action. In the Henry rifle the cartridge is fired by the old-fashioned hammer, the fall of which has a tendency to slightly deflect the bullet to one side, whilst in the Martini-Henry the firing mechanism is all contained in the breech block, and this disturbing tendency is absent. An expert can make equally good practice with either rifle, so that there is really no serious ground of complaint with regard to these weapons.

THE sham fight which, as announced, is to take place to-day between Eastwood and Parramatta, ought to prove an interesting and instructive public spectacle, and no doubt many people will find their way to the scene of action. The engagement will probably commence about noon, on the Eastwood-road, some three miles from Parramatta, so that visitors wishing to see the engagement can leave Sydney by one of the morning trains and arrive there in ample time. The plan of operations has already been outlined, and a memorandum of instructions has been issued by the military authorities for the guidance of the officers who will take part in the engagement. From this memorandum it appears that the chief object of the manœuvres is to familiarise the officers and men with the positions most suited for defence, to which end, and prior to allowing commanding officers more independent action, the programme will, to a certain extent, be of a fixed nature.

OUR special correspondent in his "English Gossip," which we publish this morning, deals with the London season, noting all the important events, with the attacks on Sir Morell Mackenzie, with the strike at Messrs. Bryant and May's match factory, and with current literature.

OUR St. Petersburg letter, which will be found on another page, supplies a view, from a Russian standpoint, of the visit of the Emperor William of Germany to the Czar. The condition of the crops in Russia, which point to an abundant harvest, the coal crisis and the desertion of the miners, the Belgrade scandal and opinions of the press concerning Queen Natalia, the remarkable number of fires during the present year, the principal cause of which is attributed to insurance offices, and the nine hundredth jubilee of the baptism of the Russians, are referred to by our correspondent.

THE first of the contemplated improvements to Phillip Ward, as announced in the *Herald* some time since, is now nearing completion. It is that of cutting down, reforming, tarring and metalling Myrtle and Wattle streets. The effect of this will be to open Wattle-street to traffic from Bowman and Stream streets, an improvement which has long been a necessity in the interests of public convenience.

WE have received a prospectus of the "Art-Union of Sydney," the object of which is the encouragement of purely colonial art. The promoters state that "The Art Society of New South Wales has, since its commencement, had an art-union attached to it, which was managed by the committee, consisting of our best professional artists; but they felt, and rightly, that it was impossible for them to undertake a thing which not only gave them the appearance of hawking their own work, but required the management of gentlemen who, with a love and admiration for the fine arts, have that business training and reputation which alone could carry such an undertaking to a successful issue. It is, therefore, at the express desire of the Art Society of New South Wales that the committee named above have consented to act for the formation of an art-union which will be known as the 'Art-Union of Sydney.'" The Art Society has fixed Saturday, September 15, for the private view, on which day the drawing for prizes will take place, at the Union-chambers, Pitt and Hunter streets.

MR. THEODORE BEVAN has received, through his Excellency the Governor, the thanks of her Majesty for a copy of his "Fifth Expedition to New Guinea."

HIS Honor the Chief Justice, with Mr. Justice Windeyer and Mr. Justice Stephen, sat in Banco yesterday, and disposed of nearly all the business on the list. In Wilson v. Tarrant, a rule nisi for a new trial was granted; and a similar decision was arrived at in Knapp v. Metropolitan Permanent Building Company. In the appeal of the defendant in the District Court action Barrett v. Buchanan, the Court ordered a nonsuit to be entered up with costs; and in regard to the appeal of the Sydney Newspaper Publishing Company, in which the plaintiffs sought to have an adverse decision of a District Court Judge set aside, the Court expressed an opinion that the conclusion arrived at by the Judge was correct, but intimated that they would give a considered judgment on Monday next. The action was one brought by the proprietors of the *Sunday Times* against T. G. Muir to recover the sum of £25 for one quarter's advertising. Mr. District Court Judge Dowling decided against the plaintiffs, on the ground that their contract was illegal.

THE action Davies and another versus the National Fire and Marine Insurance Company of New Zealand, after occupying the attention of Mr. Justice Innes and a jury of four for nearly a week, was brought to a conclusion yesterday. The action was one in which the plaintiffs, who formerly carried on business in partnership at Drummoyne, Parramatta River, as butterine manufacturers, sought to recover upon two policies of insurance, one being upon the factory, stock, and plant, and the other upon certain butterine shipped from Melbourne for London, via Sydney. Several knotty legal points cropped up during the development of the case, which were reserved for the decision of the Full Court. The jury found a verdict in favour of the plaintiffs, awarding £887 3s. 2d. on the fire policy, and £2134 0s. 5d. upon the open marine policy, subject, however, to such reductions as were agreed upon by counsel. Considerable interest was taken in the case owing to the somewhat important issues involved, and during each day the representatives of various insurance companies in the city attended the court in order to hear the evidence.

THE only case dealt with in the No. 2 Jury Court yesterday was an action in which Robert Francis Carolan, solicitor, sought to recover from John H. Hoare and wife the sum of £2000 for injuries alleged to have been done to the plaintiff's son, a lad 10 years of age, by a dog owned by the defendants. The case occupied the attention of the Court throughout the day, and resulted in a verdict for the plaintiff for £100.

YESTERDAY the Mayor concluded his sittings for the revision of the municipal lists of the city. The proceedings, which have extended through the week, have been of a formal character.

A LARGELY attended public meeting was held in the vestibule of the Town Hall yesterday evening to protest against the employment of Asiatic labour on mail steamers subsidised by the Government. The chair was occupied by Mr. J. P. Abbott, M.L.A., and after a number of speeches had been delivered by members of Parliament and others, a resolution was unanimously carried protesting against the renewal or extension of the present Pacific mail contract. A deputation was also appointed to wait on the Premier and lay the result of the meeting before him.

A MEETING of the free-trade electors of Redfern has been convened for this evening, at the Town Hall, Redfern, to arrange for the selection of a candidate to contest the seat in Parliament rendered vacant by the death of Mr. J. S. Farnell. The Mayor of Redfern (Mr. Peter Howe) has announced his intention of seeking the suffrages of the electors, and he will, it is understood, receive the support of the protectionist party.

A MEETING of Scandinavians convened by the Consul for Norway and Sweden, was held at the Freemasons' Hotel, York-street, yesterday evening, for the purpose of taking steps to raise subscriptions on behalf of the sufferers by the recent fire at Lundsvall and Umea, Sweden. There was an attendance of between 60 and 70 persons. The Consul, Mr. C. A. Falstedt, who occupied the chair, briefly stated the object of the meeting, and in doing so pointed out that upwards of 12,000 persons had been rendered destitute by the fire which took place at the towns in question. He suggested that subscription lists should be opened in Sydney and in the leading towns of the colony for the purpose of relieving the sufferers, and that the money raised should be forwarded as speedily as possible to the Minister for Foreign Affairs in Sweden. Mr. S. Franzen stated that the people of New South Wales had always shown themselves willing to support any benevolent undertaking, and he believed that the English and Australian portion of the community would assist the Scandinavians in the present movement. A committee of gentlemen was then appointed, with power to add to their number, to draw up subscription lists and to receive contributions towards the object in view. The meeting terminated with a hearty vote of thanks, accompanied by three cheers for the Consul.

A NOTIFICATION appears in yesterday's *Government Gazette* appointing Messrs. John Broomfield, J.P., Captain Robert Deane, R.N., Thomas Allwright Dibbs, James Reading Fairfax, John Hay Goodlet, J.P., Isaac Ellis Ives, M.P., Edward William Knox, Alfred G. Milson, John Pope, J.P., the Admiral for the time being, the Colonial Secretary for the time being, and the Flag Captain on the station for the time being, to be trustees of a piece of land at Charlotte-place, Sydney, which has been purchased as a site for the Royal Naval Home.

IN our advertising columns will be found an abstract of the revenue and expenditure of the Borough of Canterbury for the half year ended the 6th August, 1888.

WE are informed that, by the permission of the Government, the gold cup manufactured by Messrs. Flavelle and Roberts for the Centennial regatta will be on view for a few days, at their premises, 326, George-street.

A BAZAAR and fancy fair in aid of the building fund will be opened in St. Thomas's new church, Petersham, by the Rev. Dr. O'Brien, rector of St. John's College, on Wednesday evening.

THE following is the order of musical service at St. Andrew's Cathedral on Sunday next:—Morning, 11 a.m., Te Deum, Colborne, in C.; Anthem, "King, all glorious" (Barnby). Afternoon, 3.15, Nunc Dimittis, Stegrall, in G; Anthem, "How lovely are thy Dwellings Fair" (Spohr).

IN another column will be found an advertisement in regard to a movement initiated by Mr. Quong Tart and others, with a view to giving annual feasts and entertainments to the inmates of the various destitute asylums.

AS a bi-centenary memorial of the life and labours of John Bunyan Dr. Steel will deliver a lecture on Monday evening next, at the Y. M. C. A. hall, entitled "John Bunyan and the Pilgrim's Progress." The Hon. Edward Knox, M.L.C., will preside.

THE Rev. J. Paterson, a missionary, who has travelled through many lands, and who is now re-visiting Sydney after an absence of 25 years, will deliver a lecture at Scots Church, Church-hill, on Thursday evening, on his travels in Australia, New Zealand, Tasmania, India, Burmah, Russia, Turkey, Cuba, Mexico, Manitoba, and Palestine.

THE Young Australian Band will play in the Hyde Park Band Pavilion this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

THE following is the report of the Benevolent Asylum for the week ending August 22, 1888:—Admitted, 8 women, 13 children; births, 6; deaths, nil; discharged, 5 women, 6 children; remaining in the house, 87 women, 141 children; total, 228. Provisions distributed—1928 loaves bread, 1341lb. flour, 672lb. meat, 583lb. sugar, 1441lb. tea, 105lb. sago, 217lb. rice, 4lb. arrowroot, 174lb. oatmeal. Fresh applications for relief, 14; cases reported by the inspector, 47. In nine cases the relief was discontinued; in four cases the rent money was disallowed. Total number of cases relieved, 492.

THE PRUSSIAN MINISTRY.

RESIGNATION OF PRINCE BISMARCK AS MINISTER OF COMMERCE.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, AUG. 22.

Prince Bismarck has resigned his position as Minister of Commerce in the Prussian Government.

THE REBELLION IN AFGHANISTAN.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, AUG. 22.

The Turkestan troops are remaining faithful to the Ameer of Afghanistan. Ishak Khan, who has rebelled against the Ameer, has only a few followers, and his overthrow is regarded as certain.

THE RISING IN ZULULAND.

ESCAPE OF DINIZULU.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, AUG. 22.

Later news from Natal states that Dinizulu has escaped from General Smyth, the British Commander, and has taken refuge in the Rehombo mountains. A force of Boers has gone in pursuit of Dinizulu.

INCREASE IN THE FRENCH NAVY.

EIGHT NEW IRONCLADS TO BE EQUIPPED.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, AUG. 23.

Admiral Krantz, the French Minister of Marine, has issued orders for the immediate equipment of eight new ironclads at Toulon.

OPENING OF THE GLASGOW MUNICIPAL BUILDINGS.

THE QUEEN RECEIVED WITH ENTHUSIASM.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, AUG. 22.

The new municipal buildings at Glasgow were formally opened to-day by her Majesty the Queen.

Her Majesty was received with great enthusiasm.

The Queen will visit Paisley to-morrow.

FRY'S COCOA.

1728—1888.—For over 160 years the firm of Messrs. J. S. FRY and SONS have been the leading Cocoa and Chocolate Manufacturers in the world.—[ADVT.]

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EUROPEAN CABLEGRAMS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

THE MELBOURNE EXHIBITION.

LONDON, Aug. 22.

An extensive collection of British seaweed and shells has been shipped for the Melbourne Exhibition.

THE POSTAL CONVENTION.

LONDON, Aug. 22.

When the Australian colonies notify their adhesion to the tariff of the Postal Bureau Convention, the president will submit a revised scheme for repartition, which the delegates will be asked to sign in January next.

THE ELECTION FOR MERTHYR TYDVIL.

LONDON, Aug. 23.

Mr. William Pritchard Morgan, who discovered rich auriferous deposits near Dolgelly, in North Wales, has announced his intention to contest the election for the seat in the House of Commons for Merthyr Tydvil, rendered vacant by the death of Mr. Henry Richard.

Mr. Pritchard will come forward in the Unionist interest.

THE STEAMER COOGEE.

LONDON, Aug. 22.

Huddart, Parker, and Co.'s new steamer, Coogee, intended for the excursion trade in Port Phillip, sails for Melbourne on Saturday.

THE REEDY CREEK MINE.

LONDON, Aug. 22.

Machinery for the Reedy Creek gold mine, in South Australia, has been purchased in Chicago, and will arrive at Adelaide in October.

ITALY AND FRANCE.

SIGNOR CRISPI'S VISIT TO GERMANY.

[By Cable.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Aug. 22.

It is believed that the object of the visit of Signor Crispi, the Italian Premier, to Friedrichsrhue is to discuss the results of the recent meeting of the Emperor William with the Czar of Russia. Signor Crispi starts for Carlsbad to-day.

Aug. 23.

A meeting has taken place between Prince Bismarck and Signor Crispi. The German Chancellor warmly welcomed Signor Crispi.

The *Times* declares that the visit of Signor Crispi to Germany is likely to inflame the excitement and alarm on the Continent, owing to the strained relations between France and Italy.

The German press considers that Signor Crispi's note to M. Goblet resembles a memorandum which is intended to provoke a war.

ITALY AND ABYSSINIA.

[By Cable.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Aug. 22.

It is reported that Italy is organising a new expedition to Abyssinia.

THE CHINESE RESTRICTION BILL IN AMERICA.

[By Cable.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Aug. 22.

The House of Representatives in the United States has unanimously passed the Chinese Restriction Bill.

THE PRIMATE OF AUSTRALIA.

[By Cable.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Aug. 22.

Dr. Barry, the Primate of Australia, has denied the report that he has resigned the See of Sydney.

THE SEE OF CHESTER.

[By Cable.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Aug. 22.

Dr. Stubbs, who has been translated to the Bishopric of Oxford, will retain the See of Chester until November next. His successor has not yet been appointed.

THE NEW CABLE TO AUSTRALIA.

[By Cable.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Aug. 22.

The Eastern Extension Telegraph Company will land their third cable to Australia, at Roebuck Bay, in Western Australia.

THE AQUATIC CARNIVAL AT BRISBANE.

[By Telegraph.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

BRISBANE, Friday.

An adjourned meeting of gentlemen interested in the proposed aquatic carnival on the Brisbane River, in December, was held to-night, and was well attended. The chairman, Mr. J. A. Phillips, stated that he had received a letter from Mr. J. G. Deeble, as well as one from Beach, who expressed his willingness to take part in the proposed carnival. Mr. Deeble stated he had seen Kemp, Beach, Hanlan, and Neilson, all of whom were willing to row, provided the competitors started from the same mark, but not otherwise. The letter also expressed his willingness to do all in his power to assist the committee. The chairman stated that although he had yet made no regular canvass, his subscription list amounted to £400 or £500. Another gentleman said he had collected £100. It was resolved that a regular canvass be now entered on. The chairman stated that no doubt there would be a number of entries for the principal race. Indeed, it was reported that Hanlan had said he could induce Teemer, Albert Ham, and O'Connor from America to come out, and he had also no doubt that Gaudaur, Ross, Lee, Beach, Kemp, Neilson, Searle, Matterson, Stansbury, and others would also be found amongst the competitors. A resolution was passed that a four-oared intercolonial amateur race should take place on the final day of the carnival, the prize to be a £100 trophy, the race not to take place unless Sydney and Melbourne crews compete.

THE FISHERIES TREATY.

ITS REJECTION BY THE UNITED STATES SENATE.

EXISTING RELATIONS TO BE CONTINUED.

[By Cable.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Aug. 23.

The Hon. Thomas F. Bayard, Secretary of State in the United States, is not in any way dejected at the rejection of the Fisheries Treaty by the Senate. He will revert to the treaty of 1818 as a modified *modus vivendi.*

The rejection of the treaty has caused little or no excitement either in America or Canada, as it is believed that the existing relations in regard to the matter will be continued.

The *Times* urges Canada to maintain the *modus vivendi*, and says that the rejection of the treaty is merely an election incident.

[The Fisheries Treaty provided that Great Britain and the United States should appoint a mixed commission to delimit, in the manner specified in the treaty, the waters of Canada and Newfoundland, as to which the United States by the treaty of 1818 renounced all liberty to take, cure, or dry fish. Each nation was to appoint two commissioners. The delimitation was to be marked on the British Admiralty charts by a series of lines regularly numbered and duly described. The charts, on the termination of the work, were to be signed by the commissioners in quadruplicate, the United States to have one copy and Great Britain three. The three marine miles mentioned in the convention of 1818 were to be measured seaward from the low-water mark; but in every bay, creek, or harbour, not otherwise specially provided for, such miles were to be measured seaward from a straight line drawn across such waters in the part nearest the entrance at the first point where the width does not exceed 10 miles. The treaty mentioned the limits of exclusion from the various waters under the convention of 1818, and provided that the commissioners were from time to time to report such lines as had been agreed upon, which would be proclaimed forthwith, and would be binding two months after proclamation. All disagreements between the commissioners were to be referred to an umpire selected by the Secretary of State in Washington and the British minister to the United States, and his decision was to be final. Fishermen of the United States were to be allowed free navigation of the Strait of Canso. American fishermen entering Canadian waters must conform to the existing harbour regulations, but they need not report their entering or clearing when they put in for shelter or to repair damages, or when they put into waters outside the limits established for ports of entry for the purpose of purchasing wood or obtaining water. An exception was, however, made in the case of any vessel remaining more than 24 hours, exclusive of Sundays or legal holidays, within any such water, or communicating with the shore. Such vessel might be required to report her entering and clearing, and no vessel would be excused hereby from giving due information to boarding officers. American vessels would not be liable to compulsory pilotage, nor when there for shelter or repairs, or for the purpose of purchasing wood or water, would they be liable to dues.

President Cleveland's message to the Senate sent with the Fisheries Treaty characterised it as containing a just and honourable solution of the difficulties which existed between the two countries. Some of the Canadian papers declared that the Treaty gave the Americans all they wanted, and got nothing for the Canadians in return.]

THE AUSTRALIAN ELEVEN IN ENGLAND.

[By Cable.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Aug. 22.

In the second innings of Gloucestershire, in the match between the Australian Eleven and Gloucestershire, which was won by the home team by eight wickets, Turner took one wicket for 28 runs, and Ferris one for 37.

INTERCOLONIAL NEWS.

[By Telegraph.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Arrangements have been made by the railway authorities of New South Wales and Victoria for the issue of return tickets at single fare to the members of the Australasian Association for the Advancement of Science, which meets in Sydney on the 29th instant.

A telegram from Urana states that the unionist shearers' camp at Brookong has completely broken up, and shearing was in full swing to-day. Several arrests were made of the ringleaders in the late disturbances.

The attendance at the Exhibition to-day numbered 7019. A successful orchestral concert was given this evening. The man suspected of petty larceny in the New South Wales Court has been dismissed.

The Customs authorities to-day seized a quantity of liquor in Miss Spana's restaurant in Bourke-street.

Wylie, the champion draught player of the world, returned to Melbourne from New Zealand on Thursday.

QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, Friday.

It is generally understood that the present session will close in October. The Railway Bill and the Government financial proposals will be the principal business.

The steamer Janet Nicol leaves Bundaberg to-night for New Zealand direct, with 720 tons of sugar.

At a meeting of the Bowen District Association to-day, it was resolved, that in view of the selfish policy lately shown by Townsville towards Bowen, and the evident intention of Townsville to constitute itself the capital of the new colony, the people of Bowen, although believing in the principles of separation, decline at present to take any part in the question.

The steamer Afghan is discharging a large shipment of new season's teas at Townsville, and proceeds south to-morrow.

Dr. M'Gregor, who is a passenger by the steamer Maranoa to Cooktown to-morrow en route for New Guinea, is taking a printing press to New Guinea to print a Government Gazette. Mr. J. G. Allen, of the Queensland Government Printing Office, goes to New Guinea, and it is understood he will be appointed Government printer.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, Friday.

At a large meeting of the electors of Port Adelaide to-night, it was decided to ask both members to support the Government Chinese Bill, and to ask the junior member, Mr. Hopkins, who voted against the second reading, to support the bill in future.

At a meeting of the Trades and Labour Council to-night, a letter was received from the Melbourne Trades and Labour Council asking the council to request the Government to protest against the introduction of pauper labour into the colonies, as was threatened by the passing of the Local Government Bill in England. It was decided to ask the Government to take action in regard to that question.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

PERTH, Friday.

It is stated that a large copper company, with a capital of £100,000 was successfully floated in one hour on the Melbourne Stock Exchange. The company's property is situated in the vicinity of Northampton, in this colony, where several experts are already at work. Miners are expected to arrive shortly, and it is anticipated that operations will be in full swing almost immediately. The company have secured orders from London and Paris for a monthly supply of several hundred tons of ore.

NEW ZEALAND.

AUCKLAND, Friday.

Mr. Mills, managing director of the Union Company, in the course of an interview regarding the maritime dispute, said that there was not the slightest foundation for the rumour that the shipowners desired to introduce Asiatic labour to break down the eight hours' system.

The certificate of the captain of the Kate Tatham has been suspended for three months, in connection with the recent disaster to the vessel.

New Zealand coal is likely to be advanced in price 2s. per ton.

FATAL TRAMWAY ACCIDENT IN MELBOURNE.

[By Telegraph.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Charles Wesley Caddy, formerly a State school teacher, while attempting to get on a tram in motion in Gertrude-street to-day fell off, and a tram which was coming in an opposite direction went over him. He was taken to the hospital, but died in a few minutes. It is stated that he had resided for some years in Sydney.

COUNTRY NEWS.

[By Telegraph.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

GRENFELL, Friday.

The agricultural show to-day was not so successful as in former years, mainly on account of the dry season. What exhibits are shown, however, are of good quality. The weather was remarkably fine, and the attendance was good.

NARRABRI, Friday.

Notwithstanding the ominous outlook in regard to the weather, 5000 acres were conditionally selected at the lands office yesterday. All signs of rain are gone.

NEWCASTLE, Friday.

Mr. George Bewick, district railway engineer, retires today under the Civil service regulations.

PARKES, Friday.

At the lands office, yesterday, 200,955 acres were selected.

The weather to-day was quite warm with a clear sky. There are no signs of the needed rain.

SINGLETON, Friday.

The total gate receipts at the Singleton Show amounted to £406 12s., being about £7 in excess of last year.

WARIALDA, Friday.

Yallaroi started shearing on Wednesday under the station rules.

OVERLAND PASSENGER TRAFFIC.

[By Telegraph.]

ALBURY, Friday.

For Melbourne (by express): Mrs. George Hope, Miss Hope (Geelong), Miss Hassock (Parramatta), E. M. Young (Port Darwin), Mr. and Mrs. Von Schmidt and 2 children (San Francisco), D. Livingstone (Newmarket), Thomas A. Spencer (Roma, Q.), John Winter (Junee), J. Stephenson (Auckland), R. H. Pope, F. S. Pope, W. H. Denton (Wellington, New Zealand), Mr. and Mrs. John M. Ives (New York), M. Peacock (Tallangatta), Mr. and Mrs. Burness (Benalla), Mrs. E. A. Herring (Adelaide), J. Jacquet, C. M'Nelce (California), J. O. Liddell, W. Thompson (Sandhurst), Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Giles. Miss Giles (Kirdeen), George James (Armidale), T. Klempke (Doodle, Cooma), Miss Watson (South Yarra), Isaac Hermann (Old Jewry), Mr. and Mrs. Davey (Yerong Creek), Miss Taylor (Port Melbourne), Andrew Loughnan, H. Washburn, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Marks, J. F. Fox, William Dall, J. O'Callaghan, E. J. Henderson, George Higgins, Mr. and Mrs. John Harper, infant and maid, J. N. Stevens, H. C. Bowden, Mrs. Mansfield, T. F. Willis (Melbourne), John Hurley, M.L.A., Miss Ida Hurley, Miss Rose Hurley, John W. Jaffray, Mr. and Mrs. Byrne, Mr. and Mrs. Legg and two children, James Johnson, Mrs. C. W. Naylor and infant, Miss Davies, Mrs. Dale, Mrs. Fred Dark, Walter Burrell, Mr. and Mrs. Straps, Mr. and Mrs. Marks, E. Silberberg, J. Nelson (Melbourne.)

For Sydney (by express on Friday): Wm. Wilson, Thomas, Professor Morris, Mr. and Mrs. M'Leod, G. F. Mason, H. E. Ogg, C. A. Ogg, P. Johnson, Miss Coyle, Mrs. Dudley, A. Campbell, J. F. Pierson, W. Gladwin, W. R. M'Connell, Fred. Wright, Hon. G. D. Langridge, C. W. Bruce, A. N. Pearson, John Powell, Ernest Whyte, Mrs. Molyneaux, J. Wagner, Miss Helen Neil, Miss Whyte, Hon. J. Frowt, J. M'Culloch, H. Mahon, Hon. Campbell, M.L.C., Miss Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bell, J. A. Gurner, J. Dennis, M. Reardon, R. Harper, Harcourt, Rev. Grant, J. H. M'Farland, S. Kohn (Melbourne), Miss Lawson, Dr. Wilkinson, M.P., G. S. Mills, Fletcher, Wilson, R. Imray, Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon, W. J. Dowel, M.P., G. B. Hales, H. Harper, Sydney Burdekin, M.P., Mrs. Sydney Burdekin, Miss Smith, D. F. Jacobs, J. Dettmann, Mr. and Mrs. Parkinson and child, W. H. Gill, C. H. Junkins, M. Kutnewsky, W. M'Gill, A. W. Hayes, A. M. Peters, R. Barbour, M.L.A. (Sydney), E. W. Smith (Bundaberg), W. Price (Cobar), W. Humble (Geelong), D. B. Wilkinson (Dubbo), R. Hall, Miss Ada Hall, Miss Alice Hall (Newcastle), Mr. and Mrs. W. Holmes (Maitland), J. C. Smith (Wentworth Falls), Mr. and Mrs. Hinchcliff (Homebush), John Dennis (Taree), Hon. J. Forrest, C.M.G., Mrs. Forrest (Western Australia), Mrs. H. Bowden (Hay), J. Wilkins (Granville), J. J. Dobbin (Eubalong), Jas. C. Carolan (North Fitzroy), Jas. E. Holton (St. Kilda), F. G. A. Barnard (Kew).

For Melbourne (by ordinary): Mr. and Mrs. Roberts (Adelaide), Wm. Stewart (Dubbo), D. M'Carthy (Taralagon), M. Dilhan, Ephram Rogers (Melbourne), P. Cox, Thomas Davis (Sydney).

For Sydney (by ordinary): Thomas Colls, M.L.A., Mrs. Colls (Yass), E. J. Ball, M.L.A., Miss Ball (Goulburn), E. Manton, W. Monahan, Miss Monahan, Jno. Simcox (Sydney).

TENTERFIELD, Friday.

For Sydney: S. H. Meson, Miss Worthington (Charters Towers), J. Brown, R. E. Ewing, Thos. Ewing, J. Harrington, Miss Benjamin, P. Collis (Sydney).

For Brisbane: Mr. and Mrs. Power (Melbourne), J. M'Gaw (Narrandera), Mrs. Daniel and servant (Ipswich).

PASTORAL INTELLIGENCE.

[By Telegraph.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

ALBURY, Friday.

The following stock movements are reported:—400 fat sheep, from Yanko for Melbourne, C. L. Griffith and Co.; 27 fat cattle, from Nyngan for Melbourne, Powers, Rutherford, and Co.; 1200 fat sheep, from Dubbo for Melbourne, Powers, Rutherford, and Co.; 54 fat cattle, from Bourke for Melbourne, C. L. Griffith and Co.; 36 fat cattle, from Bourke for Melbourne, Ryan and Hammond; 36 fat cattle, from Bourke for Melbourne, Dougharty, Son, and Parker; 160 fat cattle, from The Rock for Melbourne, Ettershank and Co.; 1040 fat sheep, from Bourke for Melbourne, for Gibson and Co.; 3200 fat sheep, from Bourke for Melbourne, Dougharty, Son, and Parker; 169 fat sheep, from Dubbo for Melbourne, Powers, Rutherford, and Co.; 216 fat cattle, from Blayney for Melbourne, for Gibson and Co.; 126 fat cattle, from Wellington for Melbourne, Christian; 1 truck fat cattle, from Gundagai for Melbourne, Curtis; 63 fat cattle, from Trangie for Melbourne, Gibson and Co.; 180 fat cattle, from Byrock for Melbourne, Powers, Rutherford, and Co.; 91 fat cattle, from Bourke for Melbourne, for Gibson and Co.

CARCOAR, Friday.

The stock passing through by rail were:—Five trucks of sheep, Albury to Bourke, Coffy to Hammond and Ryan; two trucks sheep, Dubbo to Albury, G. A. Murry to Powers and Rutherford; 26 trucks sheep, Bourke to Melbourne, via Albury, Gibson and Co.; 22 trucks cattle, Blayney to Melbourne, owner Hungerford; 14 trucks cattle, Wellington to Albury, Dodd to Christian; 13 trucks sheep, Bourke to Albury, Dougharty and Son, from Crowe.

FORBES, Friday.

The following are the crossings for the week:—17th, 1100 head cattle, from Lannock (Q.) to Wodonga, Christian Brothers owners, James A. Hern in charge. 19th, 6000 wethers, from Honeybugle to Yass, R. P. Johnson owner, F. P. Mackintosh in charge.

HAY, Friday.

The weather continues very dry, and its effect is severely felt in many parts of the district. Stock passings: 4200 fat sheep, from Alma station, going to Victoria; 600 bullocks, from Hobart River, going to Wodonga; 578 head of cattle, from Warenda, going to Victoria via Albury; 15,000 sheep, from Queensland, going to Deniliquin; 500 sheep, from Tarwong, to Railway Yards; 600 rams, from Railway Yards to Oxley; 2700 ewes and lambs, from Hay to Victoria; 2300 hoggets, from Hay to Holmes' selection; 3500 fat sheep, from Woolondool to Victoria.

YASS, Friday.

To-day 1000 fat wethers and 90 fat bullocks, from Duntroon, were trucked for the Melbourne market, D. Leahy owner. To-morrow 800 store cattle from Goulburn will be trucked to Yass for Melbourne, Carter and Bell owners.

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SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

THE TURF.

The excellent bill of fare provided by Tattersall's Club for their August reunion should attract a large gathering at Randwick to-day, and, as the management have as usual made complete arrangements for the convenience and comfort of their patrons, a most enjoyable day's sport may confidently be expected. The course, notwithstanding the recent dry weather, is in good condition; and as the scratching pen has not been very busy, the fields promise to be large. The regular means of reaching the course by rail and road will be at the service of the sporting public, and as it is safe to predict that the traffic by tram will be unusually heavy, the department would do well to give better facilities than hitherto by running the cars at lesser intervals, especially between 12 and 1 o'clock, when the exodus from the city will be at its height. Visitors to the grand stand and saddling paddock will avoid the crush and worry at the entrance by procuring their tickets at the agencies—Messrs. Myers and Son's, King-street, and Messrs. Nicholson and Co.'s, King and George streets—before leaving the city, and those who patronise the Leger reserve and centre of the course should note that the regulations framed by the A. J. C. will be strictly enforced. The opening event—the Hurdle Race—has been set down for 1.30 p.m., and as that hour will be convenient for most persons, a large assemblage should witness what must prove an exciting contest. Out of the 17 entrants for that race, 12 still remain in, and should Marksman be dressed in his best, he must take a deal of beating; otherwise, Cellarmar, Sterling, The Arrow, and Voltaire should provide the place-getters. A large field will be sure to go to the post in the Tramway Handicap, in which Cinderella, Rebel, Mantilla, and Maggie may have most to say at the finish, but the event is a very open one. Lady Marion, Young Kingston, and Albion appear about the best in the Selling Race, and should furnish the winner. The Two-year-old Stakes should bring about an interesting race, in which Little Lady, Alice, and Knight Templar should play prominent parts; while Honeydew, Jack, Desmond, and Frisco look about the best in the Spring Handicap. The full programme in the order of running, and from which the scratched horses have been eliminated, is published in another part of this issue.

Owners and trainers should not forget that the general entry for the A. J. C. Spring meeting closes on Monday next, at 4 p.m., with the acting secretary, Mr. T. R. Evans.

Those interested are reminded that the second payment of 5 sovs. for the V. A. T. C. Caulfield Cup is due and payable at 4 p.m. on Tuesday next, and that all horses not scratched at that hour will be considered as remaining in the race, and incur the usual liability.

The horses that remain in for the August meeting of the Sydney Driving Park Club, after payment of acceptance fees yesterday, are published in another column. On Monday next the following ponies and galloways must be in attendance at the Agricultural Grounds, Moore Park, to pass under the measurement standard:—Speedy Message, Fontenoy, V. I., Fairy Boy, Athena, Peeress, and Three Star. Breeders of trotting stock should note the conditions for the Sires' Produce Stakes for two and three year olds, published in our business columns.

Mr. T. R. Hassall will officiate as starter at Randwick this afternoon, for Tattersall's Club.

The Greenstead team, in charge of E. S. Rowe, at Randwick, has been recently strengthened by the addition of Warlike, by Warlike (imp.), and Lady Zetland, by Zetland.

Advices from Melbourne state that the cross-country lorider, A. Ferguson, who was injured when Woongoon came to grief in the V. R. C. Grand National Steeplechase at Flemington on the 4th instant, is not expected to recover.

The following scratchings were posted at Tattersall's rooms yesterday, in connection with the August meeting of Tattersall's Club, which takes place to-day:—Hurdle Race: Desmond, Garnet, Glenvale. Tramway Handicap: Lonsdale, Stephanotis, Glentworth, Attraction. Two-Year-Old Stakes: Mohawk, by Splendor (imp.)—Emelia; The Rose, by Splendor (imp.)—Rose of Cobham; blk f, by Monmouth—Peril; ch f, by Epigram (imp.)—Astarte; Œthe, by Gang Forward (imp.)—Fidalma; Sophy, by Kingsborough—Zarina. Spring Handicap: The Nun, Eleho, Rosebud, Busy Bee.

There was very little speculation yesterday on the events to be decided during the spring campaign, and the Hawkesbury Grand Handicap was almost the only race to receive attention. 100 to 7 was taken and wanted about Malua for the Melbourne Cup, while 4 to 1 was wanted and 3 to 1 offered about Volley for the V. R. C. Derby. The quotations for the Hawkesbury Grand Handicap were as under:—6 to 1 v. Plutarch, 8 to 1 v. Keith, 10 to 1 v. First Flaneur, 12 to 1 each v. Locksley and Osprey, 14 to 1 v. Lyndhurst, 16 to 1 each v. Touchstone and Leichhardt, 20 to 1 each v. Harold and Lancer.

Messrs. W. Inglis and Son have sold the thoroughbred stallion Randwick, by The Drummer (imp.) from Lady Jette, by Kingston from sister to Blue Bell, by Little John, to Mr. James Underhill, of Bega, and the horse will proceed at once to his new destination, where he will be used for stud purposes. The same firm also report the sale of the New Zealand bred coaching stallion Young Stonewall Jackson, by Stonewall Jackson (imp.), to Mr. Armstrong, Richmond River district, at a satisfactory figure. Young Stonewall Jackson has already gained a favourable reputation in New Zealand, and he should prove a valuable acquisition to breeders in the north coast district.

A meeting of the directors of the Warwick Farm Racing Club was held on Wednesday, when the plans of the grand stand, &c., were approved, and instructions given to at once invite tenders for the erection of the structures. The opening meeting will take place on a date to be fixed in December. The secretary, Mr. W. A. Guesden, was instructed to consult with the secretaries of Rosehill and Canterbury Park Clubs and arrange for which dates would apply to the A. J. C. An application will be made for a railway platform at a point within 400 yards of the course.

A day's racing was held at Wyrallah (Richmond River district) on Monday last, when excellent sport was provided. Findon won the Trial Stakes with Maude and Trixy in the other places. The principal handicap fell to Fairy, the well-performed daughter of Beadsman, who defeated a field of eight after a good race with New Guinea, who was only beaten by a neck. A dozen competed in the Hack Race, which was secured by North Star without much difficulty; and Little Charlie won the Farewell Handicap from a field of half a dozen by a couple of lengths.

Word comes from America that Daniel B., a six-year-old racehorse, broke the record for three-eighths of a mile on July 4, at the Montana Association's Meeting, having covered the distance in 34¾ seconds. Last year the Californian horse Cyclone put past the distance in 35 seconds. There is no colonial record for such a short race.

Our Melbourne correspondent telegraphs that Peter Burns was struck out of the Caulfield Cup yesterday.

TATTERSALL'S CLUB.

The following is the programme to be played out under the auspices of Tattersall's Club at their August meeting to-day:—

HURDLE RACE—2 miles.

	st	lb		st	lb		st	lb
Voltaire ...	11	9	Sterling ...	10	0	Lord Ripon ...	9	5
Minstrel Boy	11	3	Marksman ...	9	11	Last King ...	9	3
Cracksman ...	10	9	The Arrow ...	9	7	Coercion ...	9	0
Bellringer ..	10	7	Explorer ...	9	7	Major ...	9	0

TRAMWAY HANDICAP—6 furlongs.

	st	lb		st	lb		st	lb
The Queen ...	9	7	Rebel	7	9	The Bass ...	6	11
Blarney ...	9	0	Southerly B'ster	7	9	Hoppicker ...	6	9
Consequence ...	8	11	Hugo	7	7	Iona ...	6	9
Lady Marion ...	8	9	Butterfly ...	7	5	The Miner ...	6	7
Yellow Jacket	8	9	Queen Victoria	7	5	Recruit ...	6	7
Cinderella ...	8	5	Maggie ...	7	5	Scatterfield ...	6	5
Burrilda ...	8	3	Cimaron ...	7	3	Ganymede ...	6	3
The Gift ...	8	0	Tuscarora ...	7	3	Ustane ...	6	0
Victory ...	8	0	Mantilla ...	7	0	Thetis ...	6	0
Amina ...	7	11	Busy Bee ...	7	0	Pastmaster ...	6	0
Melos ...	7	11	Faith	6	11			

THE SELLING RACE—7 furlongs.

	st	lb		st	lb		st	lb
Allandale, £25	7	10	The Miner, nil	7	0	Lady Marion, nil	6	12
The Wreck, £25	7	7	Honeycomb, nil	7	0	Capercure, nil	6	11
Albion, nil ...	7	3	Jeremy Diddler, nil	7	0	The Bonce, nil	6	11
Young Kingston, nil ..	7	3	Dagmar, nil ...	6	12	Brenda, nil ...	6	9
Here's Luck, nil	7	0	Butterfly, nil...	6	12	Lady Lovel, nil	6	9
Falsetto, nil ...	7	0	Iona, nil ...	6	12			
			Hester, nil ...	6	12			

TATTERSALL'S TWO-YEAR-OLD STAKES—half-a-mile.

The Vale, by Maribyrnong—Black Rose
The Lake, by Black Eagle—Genevieve
Lowery, by Orphan Lad—Meta
Defiance, by Glorious—Nea
Merriment, by Goldsbrough—Happy Thought
Our Jane, by Richmond—Delamere
Parthenia, by Idalium—Young Zoe
Mitre, by The Pontiff—Victress
Little Lady, by Julian Avenel—Tiara
Little Norman, by Derby—Roulette
Knight Templar, by Gemma di Vergy (imp.)—Maltese Cross
Gratis by Gemma di Vergy (imp.)—Dignity
Alchemist, by Sardonyx—Penitent (imp.)
Dalley, by Kingsborough—Modesty
Quartz, by New Holland—Chrysophrase
Sea Gull, by Wellington—Sea Swallow (imp.)
Rose, by Sardonyx—Rosedale
Sophia, by Monmouth—Shipka
W. D., by Goldsbrough—Milliner
Rosina, by Epigram (imp.)—Coomassie
Alice, by Cheviot (imp.)—Fair Alice (imp.)
Marchesa, by Epigram (imp.)—Marchioness filly
Wandara, by Henchman—Wilddire (imp.)
Nina, by The Drummer—Young Emily.

THE SPRING HANDICAP—1¼ mile.

	st	lb		st	lb		st	lb
Honeydew ...	9	4	Phaon	7	12	Folly	7	2
The Queen ...	9	0	Burrilda ...	7	10	Hugo	7	0
Pasha	8	12	Elsie	7	8	Melos	6	12
Monte Christo	8	7	Nonsense ...	7	8	Amina	6	10
Bowmont ...	8	4	Jack	7	6	Ogre	6	10
Yellow Jacket	8	4	Cinderella ...	7	6	Gefahr ...	6	6
Desmond ...	8	2	Harold ...	7	4	Resolve ...	6	6
Lancer	8	2	Simon	7	4	Faith	6	2
Leichhardt ...	8	0	Victory ...	7	4	The Bass ...	6	2
Sloth	8	0	Rebel	7	2	Bluenose ...	6	0
Frisco	7	12	S'therly Buster	7	2			

SYDNEY DRIVING PARK CLUB, LIMITED.

The following are the acceptances for the above club's Trotting and Race meeting, to be held at Moore Park on Wednesday, 29th instant:—

THREE MINUTE CLASS TROT—2 miles.

Volunteer	Jenny	Charity	L. Jeanne
Fraulein	Killarney Vermont	Elmos Vermontena	Julia
Velocity			Jack

HANDICAP PONY RACE—⅝ mile.

	st	lb		st	lb		st	lb
Gadfly... ...	7	8	Adella	7	4	Little Neddy	6	12

SELLING RACE—⅝ mile.

	st	lb		st	lb		st	lb
The Diver, £30	8	13	Fidget, nil ...	7	4	O'Jane, nil ...	7	4
Poor Van, £30	8	11	Eve, nil ...	7	4	Fernleaf, 3 yrs., nil	6	4
Buzwing, £10.	7	13	Speedy Message, nil ...	7	4			
The Unknown, nil	7	6						

TIME HANDICAP TROT—2 miles.

Nipper (saddle), scratch	L. Jeanne (harness), 10 seconds behind
Sir Richard (harness), scratch	Mosquito (saddle), 10 seconds behind
Marathon (harness), scratch	Deceiver (saddle), 10 seconds behind
Young Australian (harness) scratch	Lady Vermont (harness), 10 seconds behind
Charley, late Paddy (saddle), scratch	Jenny (harness), 15 seconds behind
Silver Cloud (harness), scratch	Creole (saddle), 20 seconds behind
Minnie (harness), scratch	Duchess (harness), 20 seconds behind
Bandsman (saddle), 5 seconds behind	Native Cat (saddle), 25 seconds behind
Velocity (harness), 5 seconds behind	Chanticleer (saddle), 30 seconds behind
Blucher (saddle), 5 seconds behind	Grey Echo (harness), 30 seconds
Elmos Vermontena (harness), 5 seconds behind	Cyclone (saddle), 35 seconds behind
Douglas (harness), 5 seconds behind	Little Dick (harness), 40 seconds behind
Jack (saddle), 10 seconds behind	
Burwood (saddle), 10 seconds behind	

HANDICAP GALLOWAY RACE—1 mile.

	st	lb		st	lb		st	lb
V. I.	8	6	Fontenoy ...	7	6	Peeress ...	7	0
Fairy Boy ...	8	4	Athena ...	7	4	O Jane ...	7	0
Poor Van ...	7	10	Three Star ...	7	4	Minnie Ha Ha	6	12
Buzwing ...	7	10						

[By Telegraph.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

MOONEE VALLEY COURSING.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The last meeting of the coursing season was commenced to-day, at the Moonee Valley plumpton. The weather was splendid, but the attendance was very limited. In the Borough Stakes Mr. S. Smith's Solomon beat Mr. S. Bladon's Bridget, and in the Mayor's Stakes Mr. P. A. Lamb's Legislator beat Mr. E West's Brummy. In the first ties, however, Mr. F. D. Kenyon's True Briton beat Legislator.

WILCANNIA AMATEUR RACES.

WILCANNIA, Friday.

The following are the weights fixed for the chief events of the Wilcannia Amateur Races to be held on the 30th instant:—

FLYING HANDICAP.

	st	lb		st	lb		st	lb
Don	13	0	Tolarno ...	11	3	Tarquin ...	10	0
Vulture ...	12	13	Black Bess ...	10	6	Master Linne...	9	8

HURDLES.

	st	lb		st	lb		st	lb
Dona	12	10	Carmelite ...	10	0	Master Linne	9	12
Tolarno ...	11	6	Jack	10	0	Master Oliver	9	10
Bustler ...	10	7						

AUGUST HANDICAP.

	st	lb		st	lb		st	lb
Don	12	13	Tarquin ...	10	0	Master Linne ..	9	10
Vulture ...	12	10	Carmelite ...	10	0	Master Oliver	9	7
Tolarno ...	11	2	Jack	10	0	Mollie Darling	9	7
Bustler ...	10	4						

QUEENSLAND RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

THE ANNUAL PRIZE MEETING.

BRISBANE, Friday.

The annual prize meeting of the Queensland Rifle Association was concluded to-day. The Queen's Prize was won by James Stirling, of Toowoomba, who made the highest score in the third stage, and the highest aggregate at all the stages. Stirling also won the Champion Prize for the highest aggregate score made during the meeting, the scores being: Stirling, 1st, 332; Adam Anderson, 2nd, 328; G. Bridgeland, 3rd, 326. The International Match resulted as follows:—Scotland, 649; England, 644; Australia, 639; Ireland, 591.

CRICKET.

The election of office-bearers in connection with the Royston College Cricket Club took place at the college on Friday. Mr. F. Bevill occupied the chair. The following were the results of the elections:—Committee, Messrs. Mullins, Manning, O'Keeffe; hon. treasurer, Mr. H. A. Meymott; hon. secretary, Mr. E. S. Marks; hon. secretary to second eleven, Mr. H. M'Mahon.

FOOTBALL.

Elsewhere it is announced that a meeting will be held in the Town Hall, on the 31st instant, under the auspices of the Southern Rugby Union, for the purpose of taking steps to commemorate the memory of the late Mr. R. L. Seddon, captain of the British footballers.

The last contest for the Gardiner Challenge Cup, which has been competed for by Rugby clubs for the past nine years, will take place at the Agricultural Ground this afternoon, when the Wallaroo and Newtown, two of the oldest clubs in the colony, will meet.

AQUATICS.

The East Sydney Rowing Club's sculling handicap, in skiffs, is to be rowed this afternoon. About 17 members are expected to compete for the prize, which is presented by Mr. I. J. Josephson, one of the vice-presidents.

Kemp, Nelson, and Searle, together with their respective trainers, are doing steady work on the Parramatta River, and are gradually getting into condition for the events in which they are to compete.

A special general meeting of the members of the New South Wales Rowing Association was advertised to be held at Aarons's Exchange Hotel last evening, to consider a motion tabled by Mr. A. Goodyear, having for its object the alteration of the present constitution of the association, and also to deal with financial matters; but no business was transacted owing to the absence of a quorum.

Mr. A Goodyear has made a start in selecting the eight-oar team to represent this colony in the next intercolonial contest. He has written to about 65 likely men, asking if their services were available, and at present has received replies from about half the number. On Monday afternoon an eight was taken out from the East Sydney shed as follows:—T. Cussens (St. Ignatius' College), J. Collins (B. R. C.), C. Wilson (G. R. C.), W. C. Macdonald (M. R. C.), N. J. Macdonald (M. R. C.), E. H. Wilkinson (U. B. C.), V. B. Macdermott (U. B. C.), J. A. Smith (E. S. R. C.). The rowing was fair and decidedly strong. This mode of selection will be continued for some days, when the number of men will be reduced and practice still continued.

The Melbourne University eight will probably be chosen in a few days and commence active training. The students of Ormonde and Trinity colleges are available, and this will give Melbourne a large number of men to select the eight from. Adelaide University crew are well forward. They will probably practise on the Upper Yarra when in Melbourne. Mr. J. Thomson has been out daily with the Sydney University crew, and they show wonderful improvement under his care. Ten men have been chosen for practice—Messrs. E. Wilkinson, A. Thomson, V. B. Macdermott, W. Belbridge, H. Shrader, Brown, Rolin, Evans, Jones, and A. Hale. The crew will be rather light in weight, but some of the men are powerful, and row pretty well. A new practice boat has been received from Melbourne, and it suits the crew very well. Wilkinson will, probably, stroke the team. The swing is fair, but the catch is not well timed. However, the crew will have some time yet under the care of Mr. Thomson and may rapidly improve.

The handicapped outrigger race of the Mercantile Club is attracting much attention from the members, and at present the following are in practice:—Messrs. Ruwald, Thomson, Matterson, Robertson, Shandler, Ives, M'Gill, Gabriel, and Jones. The race takes place on September 15 on the Parramatta River. Entries close 10 days previously, and the handicap will be made by Messrs. Brindley, Grace, and Blackman, but each competitor is allowed to suggest a handicap omitting his own name.

The Croki Club on the Manning River is likely to be successfully formed in a few weeks, and boats for sailing will be added to the fleet. Already a fair amount has been subscribed, and about 30 members have joined, more being expected when a start is made.

The race for the Wingfield Sculls, for the Amateur Championship of the Thames, was rowed on July 16, when the holder, Mr. Guy Nichalls, easily defeated the challenger, Mr. J. C. Gardner. The time, 23 minutes 36 seconds, is the record for the amateur championship race. The first mile was rowed by the winner in 4 minutes 50 seconds, and he then led by eight seconds.

SYDNEY HARRIERS.

It is announced elsewhere that the Sydney Harriers hold their opening run this afternoon at Marrickville. We are informed that his Excellency the Governor has consented to become patron of the club, which has already a membership roll including 50 names.

PEDESTRIANISM.

The second and third rounds and final heat of the Carrington Handicap will be run off to-night, the first heat being timed to start at 8 o'clock. The running in the first round was very interesting, and, with the exception of one or two heats, in which the competitors were disqualified for life, everything was got through satisfactorily. Some of the men, notably Atkinson, Parker, Donohue, Brewer, Hoelscher, and one or two others have been backed to win fair amounts, and as the draw for the second round is an even one, some really exciting finishes should be the result. The first heat brings out Furlong, Neilsen, Hoelscher, and Pearson. The second heat brings about the meeting of such well-known performers as Liddle, Burtt, Bushell, and Giblett. In the fourth heat Smith, of Summer Hill, Donovan, C. Samuels (a.), and E. Rudd meet. In the seventh heat Gagen meets Logan. The eleventh heat should be a fast one, as Atkinson and Parker come together. In the twelfth heat there are two more backed men for the handicap, viz., Kennedy and Crompton. The round will be concluded by the meeting of three really first-class men—Joe Rice, R. Walker (a.), and W. Lane.

Acceptances close to-night at the Burrangong Hotel for the Sir Joseph Banks long distance sports and Sir Joseph Banks Handicap. The long distance events will be run at Botany next Wednesday, 29th instant. There are 140 nominations, and the prize money is 80 sovs., divided.

The Tamworth Athletic Club and the Upper Mittagong Athletic Club have been registered under the Sir Joseph Banks Proprietary rules.

Nominations for the Penrith Progress Association's £25 Handicap, to be run on Saturday, September 8, close to-day with the secretary, Mr. W. Fulton, at Penrith.

ATHLETICS.

The Ashfield Amateur Athletic Club's sports, which are to be held on Saturday, September 8, on the Ashfield Recreation-ground, promise to be a great success. The entries are fairly numerous, and include most of our best amateur athletes, both sprinters and long-distance runners. The 100-yards Championship of New South Wales (the first ever run) will produce a great race between Messrs. T. E. Richards, W. T. M'Pherson, R. Maiden, jun., and B. Schwartzkoff. J. G. Maiden is out of town at present, so he will not compete. The Half-mile Scratch Race will bring about a warm contest between the present long-distance champion (Mr. P. Higgs) and Mr. H. Evers, who ran second to Higgs in the 1000 Yards Championship of N. S. W. at the last Eastern Suburbs sports. The Mile Handicap will probably be a brilliantly contested race, as the members of the newly-formed Harrier Clubs have requested this race to be thrown open, so they may compete, and the A. A. A. C. have acceded to their request. The 200 Yards All Schools' Handicap has enticed a large number of runners, including the well-known schools runner, A. N. Miles, of St. Aloysius College. Newington College has most representatives. A Three Miles Bicycle Handicap is included in the programme, and among the competitors are Messrs. Mutton, Whatmore, Betteridge, and E. A. Pearson, which ought to make this race interesting to bicyclists. Owing to the Mile Handicap being made open, the date for the closing of the entries has been postponed until Thursday evening next, at 8 o'clock.

SPORTS MEETING.

An advertisement appearing elsewhere announces that the sports meeting to be held at Cabarita in connection with St. Stephen's Institute has been postponed to the 22nd of September.

LAWN TENNIS.

The return match Stanmore v. Woodlands, on the ground of the latter, came off on Saturday, the 11th instant, and resulted in a win for Woodlands by 8 sets 52 games to 1 set 22 games. Appended are the scores:—

Dawson and Deuchar (W.) beat Campbell and Campbell (S.) ...	6-1
Russell and Meares (W.) beat Proctor and Moulton (S.) ...	6-1
Dowler and Wright (W.) beat Vaughan and Watson (S.) ...	6-1
Russell and Meares (W.) beat Campbell and Campbell (S.) ...	6-4
Proctor and Moulton (S.) beat Dowler and Wright (W.) ...	6-4
Dawson and Deuchar (W.) beat Vaughan and Watson (S.) ...	6-3
Dowler and Wright (W.) beat Campbell and Campbell (S.)	6-4
Dawson and Deuchar (W.) beat Proctor and Moulton (S.) ...	6-4
Russell and Meares (W.) beat Vaughan and Watson (S.) ...	6-4

SHIPPING REPORTS, &c.

Custom-house.—Entered Outwards: August 24. Corinna (s.), 820 tons, Captain J. P. Sharpe, for Launceston, via Eden; Glamis, barque, 1150 tons, Captain Dallachie, for San Francisco; Woonona (s.), 404 tons, Captain W. Mills, for Melbourne, via Bulli; Jessie, 3-masted schooner, Captain H. Diliner, for Auckland, via Newcastle; Quiraing (s.), 653 tons, Captain Leggett, for Normanton, via ports; Fitzroy (s.), 504 tons, Captain J. E. Mesbury, for Rockhampton, via ports; Victoria (s.), 934 tons, Captain Munro, for Melbourne; Barrabool (s.), 588 tons, Captain T. Richardson, for Melbourne; Leura (s.), 756 tons, Captain F. H. Stanford, for Brisbane.

The E. and A. Company's steamer Menmuir, hence to Singapore, passed Port Macquarie at 7.40 a.m. yesterday.

The steamer Duke of Argyll, bound from Brisbane to Melbourne, passed Port Stephens at 11 a.m. yesterday.

The P. and O. Company's R.M.S. Victoria, hence to London, via ports, arrived at Plymouth on the morning of the 22nd instant, with passengers and cargo.

The following passengers are booked by the M.M. Company's steamer Caledonien, Captain H. de Maubeuge, to leave the Circular Quay at noon to-day for Marseilles via ports:—For Marseilles: Mrs. Hamilton, Messrs. Truhaus, A. Maclay, Hobson, S. Jones, R. Zethveger, F. Bertrand, A. Biglen. For Mauritius: Mr. Boyes. For Melbourne: Mr. and Mrs. Basil Taylor, Mrs. Robertson, Miss M'Killop, Messrs. Martin, Mathieson, P. Baptiste, M. Baptiste, J. Sonqurt, P. Souquet.

The following passengers are booked by the China Navigation Company's steamer Tainan, sailing at 10 o'clock to-morrow (Sunday) morning for Hongkong, via ports:—For Hongkong: Mrs. Stanhope, Mr. C. S. Scrivem, and 30 Chinese. For Port Darwin: Messrs. E. Giles, W. Campbell, W. Orkney, W. Saville-Kent, W. Griffiths, W. H. Lowe, G. Mellor, James Thomas, Henry Western, Mrs. Hingston and infant, Miss S. M'Keown, and 7 in steerage. For Thursday Island: Mr. S. T. Rabone.

The steamer Leura left Brisbane at 1.30 a.m. on 22nd instant, and arrived in Sydney at 5.25 a.m. on the 24th instant. Experienced light variable winds, with smooth sea and fine hazy weather throughout the passage.

The steamer Quiraing cleared Port Phillip Heads at midnight on the 21st instant, and arrived in Sydney at 2 a.m. on the 24th instant. Experienced fresh westerly winds and heavy sea to Wilson's Promontory, thence light S.W. winds and fine weather to arrival.

The steamer Konoowarra left Melbourne at 10 a.m. on the 22nd instant, cleared Port Phillip Heads at 2.30 p.m. the same day, and arrived in port at 4 p.m. on the 24th instant. Experienced variable winds and weather throughout.

On Monday the barque Carnarvon Castle will be towed by the tug Geebung to a discharging berth at Dalton's Wharf.

The P. and O. Company's Massilia, hence to London, via ports, left Melbourne for Adelaide yesterday.

The P. and O. Company's R.M.S. Carthage was towed from the company's wharf, Circular Quay, to an anchorage in the stream yesterday.

The steamer Duke of Devonshire was berthed at Parbury's Wharf yesterday, where she will put up her London cargo.

The ship Cutty Sark is to be towed from her discharging berth at the Circular Quay to an anchorage in the stream to-day.

The ship Trafalgar was towed from her anchorage in the stream to a berth on the eastern side of the Circular Quay yesterday.

The whaling barque Costa Rica Packet was towed from the back of the island to moorings in Johnston's Bay yesterday.

The American ship W. R. Grace arrived yesterday from San Francisco, in ballast, after a passage of 57 days. The W. R. Grace has not been in these waters before, but when it is mentioned that she is one of the usual American-built vessels, a description is scarcely needed. However, the W. R. Grace is a very taking vessel in appearance, even when seen as she was yesterday, when she was in ballast. She was built at Bath, Maine, in 1873, by Messrs. Chapman and Flint for Mr. B. Flint. She is 218ft. long, 42ft. beam, and 28ft. depth of hold. Her net register tonnage is 1893 tons. The W. R. Grace has arrived here in order to load southern coal back to America. The passage from the Golden Gate has been one of the usual average length, but had it not been for the very unforeseen circumstances which attended the vessel after she passed Matthew Island her trip would have been one of the quickest yet made. An occasional blow has been experienced, but as regards duration and severity there is very little to relate. The W. R. Grace left San Francisco on the 29th of June with fresh breezes. The N. E. trades were only light, and gave out in 6 N. to strong easterly winds to Matthew's Island. The Equator was crossed on the 16th day out in 150° W. After leaving Matthew's Island nothing but a series of light variable winds and westerly breezes had been experienced, so much so, indeed, that the W. R. Grace has averaged 55 miles per day for the last 25 days. The voyage has been devoid of anything very startling. A barquentine was spoken by the W. R. Grace on the evening of Wednesday. The vessel appeared to be one of about 450 tons register. She signalled for correct longitude, and upon receipt of same bore away. The vessel was supposed to be heading for Sydney, for she "tacked" upon receiving the information she required, and parted company with the W. R. Grace. The W. R. Grace is going to load southern coal back to the west coast.

The ship Bay of Cadiz arrived yesterday from London, having made a very quick run from London; in fact, she has made the smartest run that has been accomplished for some time. From the docks (June 7) to port the Bay of Cadiz has made the run in 77 days. She was four days beating down Channel, and, consequently, it was the 11th of June ere she took her departure from the Start, which will make her passage 73 days. Had it not been for very erratic winds experienced north of the Line the vessel would have made an exceptionally quick passage; but such is a sailor's life, winds do not always blow when and as they are wanted. Captain Davidson, however, can compliment himself upon having made the fastest passage for some time. Upon eight occasions the vessel has made over 300 miles a-day; on another 200 miles were run, and on several occasions 250 have been topped. Very little can be reported of the voyage. The N.E. trades were light, and gave out in 13° N. The winds were such afterwards that the ship had to tack on several occasions. The Equator was crossed on July 7 in 28° W. The S.E. trades were strong, and continued so to 25° S. Winds from the N.W. to S.W. continued till abreast of the Cape of Good Hope, the meridian of which was crossed on July 27 in 43·30 south. The easting was run down on the parallels of 43·44, and with the continuation of north-west to south-west winds the ship made splendid running. Heavy seas accompanied, and frequently the decks were deluged and filled from rail to rail. A little damage to a boat and deck house is the only thing that will indicate the very heavy weather experienced on the passage. The Bay of Cadiz came to the south of Tasmania, and experienced variable winds thence to making Jervis Bay. She was picked up yesterday morning early by the Glenelg, and upon receiving pratique came up to an anchorage in Neutral Bay. The ship has arrived in excellent order and condition, which reflects credit upon those officers most immediately responsible.

The steamer Tanais of the Messageries Maritimes Company's line of steamers, now running the branch Noumea-cum-Sydney trade returned yesterday. Captain Lugan has very little to report, the voyage has been one of a most uneventful character.

The French man-of-war steamers Dives and Loyalty were in company with H.M.S. Raven at Noumea when the Tanais left for Sydney.

The Orient Company's R. M. S. Cuzco, hence to London with the outward mails for Europe, left Albany at 2.30 a.m. yesterday in continuation of her voyage.

The P. and O Company's R.M.S. Oceana, inward bound, from London to Sydney, passed Green Cape at 12.55 p.m. yesterday. She is due in port early this morning.

The China Navigation Company's steamer Changsha, inward bound, from Hongkong, via ports, arrived at Port Darwin yesterday.

RETURN of the MINISTERS from the WEST.

[By Telegraph.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ORANGE, Friday.

The Hons. J. Inglis and F. Abigail passed through to-night for Sydney. They were met at the station by the Mayors of Orange and East Orange, together with the aldermen and leading citizens. Their healths were drunk in bumpers of champagne.

THE RAILWAY EMPLOYEES' ASSOCIATION.

[By Telegraph.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

NARRABRI, Friday.

Mr. Schey, M.L.A. for Redfern, and secretary to the Railway Association, addressed a meeting of railway employees at the Narrabri station last night. He spoke for two hours, and received a great demonstration. He said it behoved the Railway Employees' Association to secure attention to their interests, and to secure unity and protection. He adverted to the expected changes in the railway administration consequent upon the appointment of the commissioners, but anticipated that the change would be for the better. He referred to the recent examination of a number of hands employed on the railway, and expressed doubt as to whether retrenchment in that direction was advisable. Judging from Narrabri, he did not think the department was overmanned. He said that 1000 men had been taken out of the railway employ in New South Wales, while 1000 men had been added to the Victorian Railways. He attributed that to the fact that the Victorian railways had been under-manned. He did not anticipate that Mr. Eddy, the new chairman, would advocate wholesale retrenchment or a reduction of wages to the English standard. The appointment of Mr. Speight in Victoria had no doubt resulted in the increased efficiency of the railways, and the addition of a number of hands. He supposed that Mr. Eddy was far too experienced to advocate working the lines too cheaply. A unanimous vote of confidence was expressed in Mr. Schey, in accordance with the views he had expressed. Mr. Schey left for Sydney the same night.

Take time by the forelock, and avoid his insults by using Mrs. S. A. Allen's World's Hair Restorer, which never fails to restore grey hair to its youthful colour and beauty. It removes dandruff, strengthens the hair, and cleanses the scalp. Try it.—[Advt.]

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THE MAGAZINES FOR JULY.

(SECOND NOTICE.)

An anonymous writer, who nevertheless, if internal evidence goes for anything, must be Lord Wolseley, discusses "Our True Foreign Policy" in the *Fortnightly Review*. His idea is that by strengthening our fleet and organising our small army we might make ourselves such a valuable ally to Germany and Italy that they in their turn would assist us to resist Russia on the Indian frontier. For these purposes he wants 20 millions immediately, and a subsequent expenditure of two or three millions a year in excess of the present estimates. War, he thinks, unless we can help to keep the peace, is certain, because the nations of Europe, bound down under the weight of overwhelming armaments, are anxious "to bring all pending questions to an issue immediately, and at almost any sacrifice." The weakness of such an argument is obvious. The great military nations would certainly not lessen their armaments in view of a possible, or even a tolerably certain, alliance with England, and thus the causes of war would still remain. It is even possible that England's intervention would precipitate a crisis. M. Henri Rochefort's support of General Boulanger is, on the face of it, so mysterious that one is anxious to see what he has to say on "The Boulangist Movement." Virtually, he says nothing, for, if his arguments for making the French Constitution more democratic are well founded, nobody believes Boulanger to be a sincere democrat. There are many statements in this article that are simply incredible, as, for instance, the statement that the present Government pays for and circulates obscure pamphlets against Boulanger, defraying the costs out of the secret-service money. Mr. Swinburne's article on "Ben Jonson" has rather a literary than a general interest, and much of it is taken up with suggestions as to new readings. "Lucian" is, it may be feared, a mere name to most of us, and those who are ignorant of this writer cannot do better than make his acquaintance in the charming essay of Mr. Andrew Lang. Professor Dowden continues his article on "Gœthe," one of the best studies of literary biography that has appeared for a long time. Dr. Carpenter has strung together a number of quaint and funny ideas in his article on "Custom." His serious object is to show that customs are not "rooted in the necessities of the localities and times in which they occur," but are "mere customs, perhaps grown originally out of some necessity, but now perpetuated from simple habit and inherent human laziness." As anthropology was nearly unknown in Kant's time, Mr. Herbert Spencer has no difficulty in disproving Kant's thesis, that "the lower races of men may be said to be deficient in the idea of right," but, as usual, he adduces much curious and out-of-the-way evidence in support of his argument.

The *Nineteenth Century* begins with an essay by Mr. Gladstone on the question whether the Church of England was made by herself as a church or by secular influences. The question is profoundly interesting to a High Churchman, and perhaps profoundly uninteresting to everybody else. Nevertheless, nobody can read what Mr. Gladstone has to say without being struck by "the grace and versatility of the man." The tritest parts of his essay—as, for instance, his account of the separation of the Puritans from the Church of England—are put so well that they have almost the charm of novelty. In a paper on "Our Missionaries," Sir W. W. Hunter bring out rather strikingly the little-considered fact that black converts will soon form a considerable proportion of the Protestant Churches. Perhaps the gem of the review is Mr. Frederick Harrison's article on "Art Exhibitions." Here we have a layman attacking the artists in their *sanctum sanctorum*, and doing his work, too, with vigour and success. He complains that year by year we cram side by side "Holy Virgins, washerwomen, Rapes of the Sabines, scenes from Pickwick, Ledas, Dr. Johnson with Boswell, and Lord Mayors in their robes of office." Art, Mr. Harrison truly points out, must suffer under such conditions. Hence the constant straining after effect, which results in the trivialities of the English school and the bestialities of the *salon*. Lord Armstrong, writing on "Technical Education," urges that training rather than scientific knowledge should be sought after. In a rather noteworthy article on "The New Labour Party," Mr. Champion argues that competition is the root of all evil, and advises us to make a fresh step towards destroying it by restricting the hours of labour.

In the *Contemporary*, Miss Frances Power Cobbe has an article on "The Scientific Spirit of the Age." She begins by saying that "the noblest study of mankind is man, and not rock or insect; and that, even at its best, knowledge is immeasurably less precious than goodness and love." Now, here are two obvious fallacies implied—first, that the study of mankind is, or ought to be, unscientific; and that the more things people know the less good and loving they become. These fallacies—which really consist of excessive generalising—run through her article and spoil it entirely as an argument. But she has really something to say on the question whether certain kinds of physical study do not blunt the feelings and mar the perception of the beautiful. Professor Seeley writes on his old and well-beloved subject, "The Impartial Study of Politics."

"Instead of an arena of contest, in which Tories, Whigs, and Radicals are marshalled against each other, in which the same old watchwords are eternally repeated, the same reckless popular arguments continually furbished up anew—an arena, in short, of action and adventure—we may speak of politics as a department of study, if not of science. We may talk of political science, or political philosophy. There is no difference of opinion about this. All parties have what they call their principles, profess to assert certain political truths, refer to great writers who are supposed to have established the doctrines which it is their business to reduce to practice. These principles, these doctrines, must clearly be matter of study; if they are erroneous, the party that founds on them must needs go wrong; so too if they have been misconceived or misapplied. How is it then that we hear so little of politics as a matter of study? How is it that they are not taught in schools or at universities?"

This passage shows at once the strength and weakness of his scheme. There are really no such things as creeds of Liberalism and Conservatism. When we talk of creeds we mean the difference between too much or too little caution. On the other hand, Professor Seeley's remarks on the value of the application of the historical method to such questions as Home Rule for Ireland are at once valuable and obviously true. Mr. Emile de Laveleye writes on the "Future of Religion," but he is imperfectly equipped for his task. His thesis is that without spirituality there can be no binding rule of conduct, and he really cannot discuss such a question without knowing more than he evidently does of the views of such men as Mr. Herbert Spencer. His first outburst about a religion which apparently is to be a religion without dogma is mere French rhetoric. These three are, perhaps, the most noteworthy articles in the *Contemporary*, but an exceedingly severe attack by Sir George Cox on "Hymns Ancient and Modern" should not be passed over. He condemns the collection as containing much downright doggrel, and also as generally "sensuous" in tone.

The best thing in *Temple Bar*, outside its fiction, is the article on "Benyowsky," which gives a true story as exciting as the adventures of Robinson Crusoe. There is much curious information in "The House of Percy;" and "A Chapter on Proposals" will be found amusing if not altogether pleasant reading. "The Rogue" continues to absorb one. It is a most disagreeable story, but, having once begun it, the reader must go on.

"A Day of My Life at Chambers" and "The Dean's Sisters" make one laugh, but they are decidedly below the literary standard of the *Cornhill*. On the other hand, "Mammoth Hunting in Siberia" is quite charming. The reader will learn all that is known about the hairy elephant, and he will be intensely amused all the time he is being instructed.

CASUALTIES.

A man named J. Hall, 29 years of age, a butcher, residing at 328, Oxford-street, Paddington, met with a painful and serious accident yesterday afternoon. It appears that he was driving a horse and cart along Barrack Hill, when a portion of the harness called the "backband" gave way, the result being that the shafts of the cart fell to the ground, frightening the horse, which went away at a rapid pace down the street. Hall, in endeavouring to alight from his awkward position, came into violent collision with a lamp-post, rendering him partially insensible. The accident was witnessed by a man named Kain, of 6, Little Gipps-street, Paddington, who immediately conveyed Hall to the Sydney Hospital, where, upon examination by Dr. Gwynne Hughes, he was found to be suffering from a fracture of the left arm, accompanied with severe lacerations, the muscles of the forearm being much torn. He was placed in one of the wards for treatment.

At the request of Mr. John Taylor, Dr. Waugh yesterday examined the young man John Braddick, who lies in the Parramatta Hospital suffering from a pistol shot in the neck. He states that the bullet has not lodged in a vital part, and can be removed without danger.

MINING INTELLIGENCE.

The following transactions were recorded yesterday by the Sydney Stock Exchange:—Morning: Burwood Coal, 24s. 6d.; Katoomba, 13s.; Stockton, 46s., 45s. 6d., 46s.; Wickham and Bullock Island, 21s.; Nymagee Copper, 17s.; Broken Hill No. 14 Block Silver, 62s., 60s., 61s.; South, 70s., 71s.; Extended, 9s. 9d.; Eveleen, 5s.; Mount Costigan, 12s. 9d., 13s.; Contributing, 9s. 3d.; Sunny Corner, 58s. 6d.; Terrible Dick, 3s. 11d.; White Rock, 13s.; Ophir Gold, £11 5s., £11, £11 10s., £10 19s., £10. Afternoon: Great Northern Coal, 8s.; Burwood, 23s. 6d., 23s.; Katoomba, 13s.; Wickham and Bullock Island, 20s. 6d.; Stockton, 44s., 43s. 6d., 43s.; Cobar Copper, 7s. 6d.; Nymagee, 17s. 3d.; Broken Hill No. 14 Block, 62s.; Eveleen, 4s. 9d.; Sunny Corner, 58s.; Terrible Dick, 4s. 1d.; White Rock, 13s. 3d.; Mount Morgan Gold, £16; Conrans, 18s. 6d.

Subjoined are the latest quotations:—

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
Bulli	—	—	Eveleen	4/6	4/9
Burwood	23/	23/3	Mount Costigan	12/9	13/
Great Northern	8/	—	Ditto, new issue, 16s paid	9/	9/6
Hetton	7	9	One Tree Cordillera, p. up	—	2/
Katoomba	13/	13/9	Rising Sun	5/	5/6
Ditto, pref., 2s p.	2/1	2/6	Round Hill	—	—
Newcastle	—	16½	Sunny Corner	57/	58/3
Stockton	44/	45/3	Terrible Dick, 19s 6d paid	4/	4/1
Vale of Clwydd	20/	—	N. Lewis Ponds	19/6	20/
Wallsend	—	46	Ditto, contrib.	—	16/
Waratah	—	—	Tom's Lewis Ponds, paid up	—	8/
West Wallsend	—	22/	Contrib.	—	2/6
Ditto, 19s paid	—	—	Back Creek	—	5/
Wickham and Bullock Island	20/	21/	Hero, freehold	5/6	7/
Ditto, pref., 5s p.	7/	—	Ditto, contrib.	2/6	—
Greta	—	20/	White Leads	5/	8/
G. Cobar Copper	7/6	7/9	Webb's	—	9/
New Mt. Hope	—	9/6	Ditto, 12s 6d pd.	1/11	—
Nymagee	17/	18/	Victoria Cross	6/6	7/9
Broken Hill Pro.	—	237	White Rock	12/6	—
Wesley Tin	—	9d	Band and Albion	—	88/
Block Co.	6/6	7/3	Maritoto, paid up	3/9	5/6
Ditto, contributing	5/	5/9	Ditto, contrib.	1/11	—
Block 14	61/	62/	Mount Morgan	15½	16½
Ditto 10 Block	24/6	27/6	Conrans	18.3	18/9
B. H. Junction	32/	33/	Star of the East	85/	88/
New B. H. North	26/	28/	Eureka	29/	30/
B. H. South	72/	73/	Victory	—	12/3
South Extended	9/6	9/9	Taranganba	—	10/
Central B. Hill	17/6	18/9	Ophir	9	9½
Ditto, 15s paid	13/	15/	Bulga	—	2/6
Central Block	—	1/	Sydney Rockwell	1/11	—
Cosgrove	6/9	7/9			
Brit. B. H., p. up	—	44/			

At the Australasian Mining Exchange the following sales were recorded:—Morning—Gold: Ophir, £11, £11, £10 16s., £10 17s. 6d., £10 16s. Silver: Sunny Corner, 58s. 3d.; Block 14, 64s., 64s., 64s., 64s.; Broken Hill South, 72s.; South Extended, 9s. 7½d.; New Norths, 27s. 6d.; Rising Sun, 5s. 9d., 5s. 10½d.; Terrible Dick, 4s. 1d.; Mount Costigan, 12s.; Mount Costigan, contributing, 9s.; Hero Freehold, 6s. 3d.; Hero Freehold, contributing, by auction, 4s. Afternoon—Gold: Ophir, £9 17s. 6d., £10, £10, £10. Tin: Oban, £2 12s. 6d. Coal: Stockton, 44s. 6d., 44s. 6d.; Wickham and Bullock Island, 21s. Silver: Eveleen, 4s. 9d.; Block 14, 61s., 61s., 61s., 61s., 61s. 6d., 62s. 6d.; South Extended, 9s. 9d., 9s. 9d., 9s. 9d., 9s. 9d.; Rising Sun, 5s. 6d., 5s. 6d. Closing quotations were:—Coal: Burwood, seller 25s., buyer 24s. 6d.; Stockton, new issue, seller 45s., buyer 44s. 6d.; Wickham and Bullock Island, seller 21s. 6d., buyer 21s.; W. Wallsend, 20s. paid, seller 24s.; Great Northerns, seller 9s., buyer 8s. 6d. Copper: Great Cobar, seller 8s. 6d., buyer 6s. 9d.; Nymagee, seller 18s. 6d., buyer 17s. Gold: Mount Morgan Extended, seller 3s.; Victory, seller 13s. 6d., buyer 10s.; Ophir, seller £9 15s., buyer £9 10s.; True Blue (Croydon), seller 3s.; True Blue, contributing, seller 1s. 6d.; N. E. Mount Morgan, contributing, seller 25s.; Conrans, seller 19s., buyer 17s. 6d.; Delanie's Dyke, seller 9s. 6d. Tin: Oban, seller £3, buyer £2 10s., sales £2 12s. 6d. Silver: Sunny Corner, seller 58s. 3d., buyer 57s. 6d.; Eveleen, seller 4s. 9d., buyer 4s. 7d.; Broken Hill Block 14, seller 64s., buyer 62s.; Broken Hill British, seller 47s., buyer 42s.; Broken Hill Centrals, seller 20s., buyer 16s. 6d.; Broken Hill South, seller 74s., buyer 72s. 6d.; Broken Hill South Extended, seller 10s., buyer 9s. 9d.; Broken Hill New Norths, seller 27s. 6d., buyer 26s. 9d.; Broken Hill Junction, seller 34s. 6d., buyer 30s.; Maritoto, paid up, seller 5s. 6d.; Rising Sun, seller 5s. 6d., buyer 5s. 4½d.; Rising Sun Extended, seller 2s. 6d., buyer 1s. 9d.; Victorian Cross, seller 9s., buyer 7s. 3d.; Webb's, contributing, seller 3s. 6d., buyer 2s.; Terrible Dick, seller 4s. 3d., buyer 4s. 1d.; Cosgrove's, paid up, seller 9s., buyer 6s.; Cosgrove's, contributing, seller 4s.; Lewis Ponds, paid up, seller 20s., buyer 19s. 6d.; Spicer's, contributing, seller 5s. 6d.; Mount Costigan, paid up, seller 14s., buyer 12s. 6d.; Mount Costigan, contributing, seller 9s. 6d., buyer 9s.; Sydney Rockwell, paid up, seller 2s. 9d.; Pye's Creek, seller 8s., buyer 4s. 6d.; Hero Freehold, paid up, seller 6s. 6d., buyer 5s. 6d.

The following were the Melbourne quotations posted at the Exchange yesterday:—Silver: British Broken Hill, buyer 44s., seller 45s.; Broken Hill, buyer £239, seller £239 10s., sales £239; Broken Hill Block 10, buyer 26s., seller 30s.; Broken Hill No. 14 Block Co., buyer 61s., seller 62s., sales 62s.; Broken Hill Junction Co., buyer 32s., seller 33s, sales 33s.; Broken Hill North New, buyer 25s. 6d., seller 27s.; Broken Hill South, buyer 72s., seller 72s. 6d., sales 72s.; Central Broken Hill, buyer 18s. 6d., seller 19s., sales 18s. 6d.; Cordillera, buyer 18s. 9d., seller 19s. 6d.; Lewis Ponds, buyer 15s. 6d., seller 15s. 9d., sales 15s. 9d.; Peelwood, buyer 5s., seller 6s., sales 5s.; Round Hill, buyer 58s. Gold: Mount Morgan, buyer £15, seller £16, sales £16.

The following information was posted yesterday at the Sydney Exchange:—Broken Hill Proprietary Silver Mine: Week's run, five 80-tonners and one 30-tonner, for five days. Ore treated, 880 tons, yielding 163 tons bullion, containing 51,860oz. silver.

The sixth half-yearly general meeting of the Broken Hill South Silver-mining Company was held yesterday at the Exchange. Mr. T. H. Kelly was in the chair. The report and balance-sheet were adopted. At the termination of the general meeting an extraordinary general meeting took place, when the following resolution was passed, viz.: "That the directors be authorised to dispose of block No. 5 of the company's holding, upon such terms and subject to such conditions as the directors may deem expedient; and for that purpose to accept as compensation cash or shares, paid up or partly paid up, or to give credit, or to accept part in cash and part in paid-up shares, or otherwise, as the directors may in their discretion determine, provided such shares shall have been first offered to the shareholders of this company pro rata."

The first ordinary general meeting of the Wheal Victoria Tin-mining Company, Limited, was held yesterday, at No. 3, Post Office-chambers, Pitt-street; Mr. H. Burrows in the chair. The report stated 10 tons of tin ore had been sold at £50 per ton. The balance-sheet showed a credit of £264 1s. 7d. The following directors were elected:—Messrs. Burrows, Christian, Bathurst, Russell, and Senior.

The first ordinary general meeting of the Wheal Australia Tin-mining Company, Limited, was held yesterday, at No. 3, Post Office-chambers, Pitt-street; Mr. Burrows in the chair. The balance-sheet showed a credit of £188 11s. 4d., which, with balance of calls still to be paid, left a credit balance of £338 11s. 4d. The following directors were elected:—Messrs. Burrows, Bathurst, Christian, Senior, Russell, Weaver, and Hills.

A meeting of the New England Broken Hill Syndicate was held at the Mercantile Mutual-chambers yesterday, Mr. J. G. Griffin in the chair. The chairman reported that good work had been done on the syndicate's property under the management of Mr. W. Ord. The existence of four strong silver and lead bearing lodes has been proved by trenching, and on one a shaft has been sunk 50ft. on good galena, assays from which gave 85oz. of silver and 26 per cent. of lead to the ton. The same lode carried a vein some 6in wide, which assayed 782oz. of silver, 3½dwt. of gold, and 60 per cent. of bismuth. It was resolved that shareholders contribute £2 per share to further develop the property, and that then a limited liability company be formed.

Mr. A. H. Barclay reports having formed a syndicate to purchase and develop a 20-acre block, held under lease, to be known as the North Root Hog Gold-mining Syndicate, situated between the Root Hog and Climos leases, near Hill End. Gold-bearing stone is now being obtained, and arrangements made for crushing to commence at once. At a meeting held yesterday, Messrs. Carrington, Trickett, Christian, and West were appointed trustees, and Mr. Barclay secretary.

The hon. sec. Sydney Stock Exchange reports the crushing of the Band and Albion Gold-mining Company, Ballarat, for the past week to be 375 tons stone for a yield of 426oz. gold.

Mr. G. S. Buzacott reports that at a general meeting of the Goodradigbee Gold-mining Company, Limited, held yesterday Messrs. Angus, Johnson, Reed, Walsh, and the Hon. P. Perkins were appointed the first directors; Messrs. G. Durham and A. Harcourt the first auditors; Mr. G. S. Buzacott was appointed the legal manager, and his office the registered office of the company.

Elsewhere will be found the prospectus of the South Welshman Gold-mining Company, No Liability, Turon River, New South Wales. This company, which is to be registered under the No Liability Act, announces a capital of £12,500 in 25,000 shares of 10s. each. Messrs. Webster and Ingoldsby, 15, Hunter-street, are brokers for the company.

The prospectus of the Castlerag Silver-mining Syndicate, near Emmaville, New South Wales, will be found in another column. Messrs. Collins and Co., 5, Pomeroy-chambers, Castlereagh-street, are brokers for the company. We are requested to state that samples of ore from the mine are on view at Messrs. Mountcastle's, George-street.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

A fair business was done in gold companies, without much change in values. Chalks and No. 1 and New Chum Companies had good support. Ophir Deep Lead quitted to £2 10s. under last night's prices. In silver low prices were accepted. Broken Hill closed firm. Tin was little dealt in, and prices are without improvement.

Share Report.—Sales: Broken Hill, £241 8s., £238; Block 14, 62s. 6d., 61s.; Junction, 33s., 32s. 6d.; South, paid, 73s., 71s. 6d.; British Brokens, 45s., 40s.; Centrals, paid, 18s. 6d., 18s. 9d.; Cosgroves, 7s. 6d.; Costigan, 12s. 3d.; Lewis Ponds, 16s., 15s. 4d.; New North Brokens, 26s.; Pinnacle Tribute, 9s. 3d.; Peelwood, 5s., rising, 6s. 6d., 5s. 9d.; Mount Morgan, £15 18s., £15 19s.

ADELAIDE, FRIDAY.

Share Report.—Sales: Brokens, £237, £236; Souths, paid, £3 14s. 6d., £3 11s. 6d.; Block 14, at £3 2s. to £3 0s. 3d. to £3 1s.; British, £2 2s. to £2 1s. 9d.; Junctions, £1 12s. 6d. to £1 9s. to £1 11s. 3d. to £1 10s.; Block 10, at £1 7s. 6d.; North, £1 7s. to £1 5s.; Central, paid up 18s. to 18s. 6d., contributing (new issue) 13s. to 13s. 3d.; Gipsy, 10s. 4½d. to 11s. 6d.; Extended, 9s. 6d; Tributes (old), paid, 7s. 6d. to 8s.; Cross, 7s. 4½d. to 7s; Lead, 6s. to 6s. 6d.; Eveleen, 5s. to 5s. 3d.; Sun, 5s. 3d.; Bonanza, 3s. 3d.; Pioneer, 4s. 9d. to 5s. 3d.; Tribute New, 5s; King, 2s. 9d.; Rising Sun Extended, 1s. 9d.; Brassey, 1s.; Block 19, contributing, at 6d.; Central White Lead, 6d.; Brewery, 16s. 3d.

BRISBANE, FRIDAY.

Gympie Crushings.—The North Glanmire crushing for four weeks yielded 1187oz. gold; a dividend of 2s. per share was declared. Ellen Harkins, 259 tons yielded 109oz. No. 3 North Phœnix, 800 tons, 336oz. North Lady Mary, leasehold, report getting another 60oz. in specimens yesterday, and specimen stone is still showing in the face.

BROKEN HILL, FRIDAY.

At the Victoria Cross mine the shaft has been put down a depth of 142ft., and sinking is being continued. The water is at present very small, and does not interfere with the work now in progress. The crosscut, which was put in eastward at the 100ft. level, has not been continued further than 57ft. This pierced the lode to a width of 26ft., and as the footwall was not struck it is not yet possible to say what full size may be proved, but owing to its being poor at this point work was discontinued, the manager deeming it expedient to sink the shaft 200 deep before again tapping the lode. At that depth it may prove of richer quality. At the Globe mine work is progressing satisfactorily. The property traverses five distinct lodes, four of which are capped with ironstone and the fifth with the outcrop containing a considerable quantity of copper. It is generally believed that these five lodes will make together at depth, and there form one large body, carrying good payable ore. The claim consists of two 40-acre blocks, bounded on the south by the Round Hill No. 1, and on the north by the Star mine. The main shaft of the Globe is now 70ft. A vertical has been put down directly on the lode, which proved to be 18in. wide, carrying galena ore with a little carbonate of lead. As soon as the water-level is reached, crosscuts will be put in east and west, to strike the two lodes, which lie one on either side of that at present worked. No. 2 shaft was originally sunk on the underlie of the lode, but it has now been cut down vertically. Owing to the firm nature of the ground it is not necessary to go to the expense of timbering. During the first 40ft. sunk the lode underlay to the east, but at that depth it was found to suddenly leave to the west. Just where the change took place there were a few chlorides. In this shaft the vein is from 5ft. 6in. to 6ft. in width, composed of both cubical and fine grained galena. Of ore, 60 bags have been sent away, and the weekly output comes up to about 100 bags. Some has been sent to England for treatment. Assays made of the stuff show that on the average it contains about 30oz. silver and 62 per cent. of lead. This mine, in common with most others in the district, would benefit by being able to have the ore concentrated. At the Lady Brassey, one of the best known, the principal work is on the claim at the main shaft, which is about 130ft. deep. It contains a fine lode of galena and carbonate lead, 3ft. strong, and running regularly with good walls. In every respect it is a well-defined and permanent lode, capable of producing a great deal of ore, a considerable portion of which is good enough to bag direct, but a large portion will require to be crushed and jigged. The Outward Bound claim adjoins the Lady Brassey, and the main shaft is being sunk on it to catch the lode from the latter, which, it is expected, may be cut at 200ft. depth. The present depth of the shaft is 125ft., and as sinking proceeds about the rate of 8ft. per week, it will not be long before the lode is reached. In one of the lodes the ore sent away was found to contain, besides lead and silver, an ounce of gold to the ton. At the Laurium, another claim adjoining the Lady Brassey and Outward Bound, a shaft is being sunk to cut the Lady Brassey lode, and is now down 56ft. Another shaft is being sunk on an iron outcrop. The ironstone goes down all the distance, but the strength is not known, as it is wider than the shaft. On the lode. Coming from the Homeward Bound ground, there are two shafts. Some good ore is being got. This has been tested, with the result of 72 per cent. of lead, 58oz. of silver, and 21dwt. of gold to the ton of ore.

CARCOAR, FRIDAY.

At No. 1 North Tomingly, about 33 miles from Dubbo, Croft and party have got their shaft 200ft. deep. Some splendid specimens were shown here yesterday, taken from the reef, 5ft. in width. They are now engaged in stoping. They have opened out and have about 60 tons broken, which is supposed to average 2oz. to the ton. The Myall claim, which adjoins, is under offer to an English company. Mr. Richards, mining expert, lately from England, has been inspecting the property.

COBAR, FRIDAY.

For the first time for some months no mineral leases have been applied for this week. The amalgamated companies, including Chesney's and Price's Block, have been successfully floated in Melbourne during the present week.

HILL END, FRIDAY.

Hickson, Creighton, and Bard's claim has a vein between Paxton's veins and the Star of Peace vein, below the level of the old workings. Ten ounces to the ton have been obtained.

INVERELL, FRIDAY.

The Tingha Tin Smelting and Refining Company's works are now completed. The furnaces were charged last night, and the results to-day are most satisfactory. Smelting operations will be continuously carried on. The first shipment of metal leaves the works next week for Sydney. A large gathering of miners is expected at the official opening of the works to-morrow.

MANAGERS' REPORTS.

Central Broken Hill Silver-mining Company (by telegram), August 24.—Shaft down 58ft., ground still soft, water heavy.

Royal Standard Gold-mining Company, Stewart's Brook, August 12.—Have crushed 40 tons with only the three-head going for 161os., which is the best yield yet. For want of water, have had to stop the battery. The directors have ordered a portable engine forward at once, and also five head more stampers, which will make the treating capabilities of the battery 50 tons per week.

The Eveleen Silver-mining Company, Limited (by telegram), August 24.—South drive from south shaft main lode driven, 9ft., ore showing. Will start sinking main shaft next week.

The Eureka Gold-mining Company, Limited (by telegram), August 24.—Shaft sunk 3ft., water increasing, but not yet quite sufficient to warrant starting crushing.

Withers' Coal Syndicate.—The diamond drill at work on the syndicate's land at Awaba has bored to a depth of 507ft., the last 104ft. comprising 1ft. of churt rock, 8in. dirty coal, 64ft. shaley sandstone, 1ft. 3in. clay, 32ft. 9in. thin bands of dirty coal and shale, and 4ft. 6in. of blue shale.

Broken Hill South Silver Mining Company, Limited, August 18.—Main engine shaft: The crosscut east has been extended 2ft., now in from shaft 141ft.; the rock continues to remain hard. There are two reasons why this crosscut should be hurried on—firstly, to cut the lode, and prove it at a lower depth than any other place in the line; and secondly, to tap the vein so as to procure our fair share of the water for dressing purposes. The central people have commenced sinking, and cut soft ground; this has drained the water from Jamieson's shaft, at the Proprietary Company. The central shaft is being sunk on what is known to you as the eastern lode; it has evidently junctioned with the main lode. Started to sink the main shaft, but was most unfortunate in breaking the windbox the first shot; it was faulty, and to thin. I shall have to defer sinking until a new one can be procured. The one now in use will serve our purpose till the new one arrives. No. 1 Shaft: The drive south is extended 4ft., now in 80ft. There is a nice change in the ground; it looks as if the intrusive rock was giving place to more congenial matter. The stope in back of the "Rise" continues to yield silicious iron ore, the smalls of which are being jigged and the rougher portions are being stacked till such time as we have a crushing plant on the ground. The sinking of the winze was commenced, and after reaching 12ft. were beaten by an influx of water. The ore that came out of the winze was very promising indeed, being a combination of red oxide and carbonate of copper and lead, with a fair sprinkling of bromide of silver on the faces. No. 1 Trial Shaft: We have opened out a winze flat, and continued the driving of the level north. It is now in 67ft. and yielding massive carbonate of lead of a most promising character. With little classifying it will produce over 60 per cent lead and 10oz. of silver per ton. The shaft is now passing through kaolin quartz and a little lead. We shall commence opening out the plat next week. After this is completed we shall open out drives north and south, and, from the appearance of the ore at the 60ft. level, may reasonably expect to meet with good silver-bearing stone. No. 2 trial shaft: Work at this shaft has been suspended for the present. No. 3 shaft: The crosscut at the 250ft. level is in 11ft. The rock is much easier and more congenial for carrying lode matter. Have erected two additional Cornish hand jiggers to treat silicious lead raised at the No. 1 trial shaft.

The Mount Morgan South-West Gold-mining Company, Limited, August 15.—Assay of stone taken from No. 1 and No. 3 shafts: No. 1 shaft, iron gossan stone, 13dwt. fine gold; No. 3 shaft, grey mundic ore, 18dwt. fine gold. We have a splendid show in No. 3 shaft.

Webb's South Extended Silver-mining Company, Limited, 20th August.—Drive is now in a distance of 28ft. 6in. Country still hard, and making more water. No change in face.

True Blue Nos. 1 and 2 North and Block Amalgamated Gold-mining Company, Limited, 23rd August.—Total depth of underlie shaft, 156ft.; formation is 4½ft. in width, with very strong reef on footwall, 2½ft. wide. Commenced to drive north from the 106ft. level, with every prospect of satisfactory results.

Terrible Dick Silver Mine, Silverton, August 20.—Have during the week sunk main shaft 4ft. further, and continued south drive at 180ft. level 13ft., making distance in 70ft. Galena is showing in this drive all through the face, and I am also finding native silver. Block 75: Shaft has been sunk further 3ft., showing ore on hanging-wall as we go down. The second shoot of ore in stopes is looking better to-day than it has done during the week. Am starting to sink a winze on the ore from the 107ft. level to the 180ft. level for the purpose of ventilation. The boiler I am now using requires to be cleaned out, but before I can blow off I must have steam from new boiler to work the pump to fill her. I have all requisite coke and limestone on the mine ready to start smelting, and am getting in ironstone.

Koh-i-noor Gold and Silver Mining Company, Limited.—In the report appearing in yesterday's issue the ore was said to assay 4oz. 15dwt. It should have been 1oz. 15dwt.

Day Dawn Gold-mining Company, Braidwood.—Dam is now completed; also excavations for machine site. Boiler and pumps already here; engine and winding machinery arrive to-morrow. Blacksmith's shop and rooms all ready.

Maritoto Gold and Silver Mining Company, Limited (by cable), August 24.—Winze down 38ft., quality fair.

Waitekauri Mine, New Zealand, August 24.—The return from the Waitekauri ore sent home has just been received as follows:—Lot 1, 5 bags, £80 per ton; lot 2, about 4 tons, £50 per ton; lot 3, about 5 tons, £7 12s per ton. The assays were—Lot 1, 22oz. gold, 44oz. silver; lot 2, 8oz. gold, 8dwt. silver; lot 3, 3oz. gold, 6oz. silver.

The Wheal Australia Tin-mining Company, Limited.—In No. 1 shaft the main drive or tunnel is now in 15oft. x 7ft. x 4ft., bearing N.E., the hanging-wall on the northern side of the tunnel showing very good tin-bearing stone. At the head of the tunnel there is also a leader, which is improving as we get further in. In No. 2 shaft we are down 21ft. x 7ft. x 7½ft., and during the week have advanced 3½ft. x 9ft. x 4½ft., the reef bearing N.E. and S.W. in the shaft, showing rich tin-impregnated stone; have raised here in sinking shaft half ton of rich stone; reef underlying N.E. In No. 3 shaft, total depth is 21ft. x 8ft. x 4ft. having stoped out for the week 13ft. x 12ft. x 5ft., the reef underlying S.W. In stoping out we came upon a cross-leader bearing opposite angle E. and W. This reef or leader is rich in tin, but at present we are only on the top of it; however, we will prove it by going down; raised some 2½ tons rich stone here. In No. 4 shaft, the one sunk over the tunnel in No. 1, and bearing N. by E. of it, we are down 18 x 7 x 3½ft. having sunk 4ft. for the week; getting on a leader of tin-bearing stone. This reef bears same parallel as the tunnel N.E. and S.W. In the No. 1 shaft tunnel we have a cross-cut bearing E., advanced 14 x 7 x 4ft., showing tin stone in the head of it. Are busily engaged advancing No. 2 and No. 4 shafts and stoping out in No. 3, so have not raised very much stone this week; but as soon as they are in good working order will shoot out all stone ready for sending to battery.

The Tingha Deep Lead Tin-mining Company, Limited.—Have extended main drive 30ft., making drive 300ft. ahead of face, showing good tin all the way. We are now only about 150ft. from the new shaft. New shaft is in a very good position, and will be very close to the tin when bottomed; there is a big dip at end of drive carrying very good tin. Cannot extend drive any further now, as we want air, and will have to wait until the new shaft is bottomed; it is now down 100ft., still in rock; think will bottom at about 130ft. Are building tin-house, stable, and blacksmith's shop.

The Wheal Victoria Tin-mining Company, Limited.—On Block 552, at the upper shaft (No. 1 whip), we have put in a drive which is now 40ft. ahead of face, showing good wash on both sides. From the same shaft have opened out the blocking, bearing S.E. Now in to the extent of 37ft.; width of face being 14ft., showing good wash; cutting out for week, 17ft. x 14ft., the wash in the face seeming to dip. Opposite to this from the shaft there is another blocking out bearing N.W., this being cut out 13ft. x 14ft.; in the face the wall bearing S.W. shows a great dip, and we expect to get very good tin there. The drive connecting the upper and lower shafts is 51ft., the north side showing very good run of wash 20ft., the south side fair wash 25ft. to the dip, which is 3ft. from upper road to lower level road. From the dip there is another face bearing N. 30ft. x 9ft. N.E., showing good wash. On the south side of lower level road we are blocking out, having opened two faces—one 16ft., the other 10ft.—both showing a run of wash, and bearing E. to S.E. From the lower shaft (No. 2 whip) have started another drive bearing E.N.E., which is in 4ft. op run of wash. On Block 562 we are sinking a shaft bearing N.E. of the old shafts, and got down this week 13ft. on the basalt. Have now at grass fully 700 loads, and will be raising wash continually from workings on Block 552. Still waiting for rain.

COMMERCIAL.

THE WOOL TRADE.

The new clip has come to hand very freely since our last issue (says the *Sydney Mail*), and should rain continue to hold off the season promises to be an exceptionally early one. As usual, the great majority of wools reaching town in advance are going direct to the ship, comparatively few finding their way into the auctioneers' warehouses. We do not yet hear of any date being fixed for holding the opening sales; but, considering the ample receipts which are sure to be forthcoming during the next few weeks, our salesmen would, we think, do well to consider the advisability of making an early start. As the fourth London series will open on the 18th September (prospects for which are very encouraging), the local sales might very well, it is thought, be initiated the week after. By adopting this course many growers would have an opportunity of first testing the local market, and in the event of their not obtaining what they might regard as a satisfactory offer for their clip would still have ample time to ship and catch the London November sales. As regards the demand to be expected, it is well known there are buyers on speculative account desirous of having shipments of new wool in the final series of the year in London, and that there are also manufacturers' representatives anxious to secure the first instalments of the new clip in order to have it tested at the mill, and so in a measure be furnished with a safe guide for operations at the London November sales. Looking at these facts, we deem it not improbable that very full value will be offered for all wools submitted prior to the second week in October, which is the latest date steamers can with safety leave this port with a certainty of having their cargoes included in the sales to commence in London on 27th November. In 1886 the opening of the Sydney season took place on 24th September, with results which fully satisfied both growers and auctioneers, purchases being made with freedom for the November sales. Last year the commencement was made three weeks later (October 12), and perhaps to this cause the want of success which attended the then opening is to a considerable extent attributable.

No auction sales have been held during the week. There is, however, some private inquiry, and any fair-sized parcel, whether scoured or in the grease, would meet with a ready sale.

Arrivals reach 4576 bales for the week, of which nearly the whole has come by rail. In the corresponding week of the previous year the figures were 2053 bales, and in 1886 only 420 bales.

Clearances include two vessels taking 2340 bales, as under:—

Date.	Vessel.	Bales.
August 20	Massilia (s.s.)	785
August 20	Hubbuck (s.s.)	1555
		2340
	Brought forward	4647
		6987
	From Newcastle	272
	Total since 1st July	7259
	To same date last year	5528
	Increase	1731

Freight.—Rates have become rather firmer during the week, and now rule at ½d. for greasy and ⅝d. for clean, by steamer. Sailing vessels are still idle, but quote ½d. for greasy and ⅝d. for clean.

Foreign.—By mail we have London advices to 19th July, reporting on the progress and close of the third series. Messrs. Helmuth Schwartze and Co., in their circular of the 18th ultimo, comment on same as under:—"The sales opened with prices for Australian merino wool at from par to ¼d. advance on May closing rates. In the case of the best classes—fine grease and superior scoured—the rise of ½d. was clearly quotable, and more or less maintained itself to the end, while for the bulk of Australian supplies any partial improvement was lost in the further course of the sales. Crossbreds opened with a slight decline, which increased to ½d.-1d. towards the end of the series. Among Capes, long grease and scoured ruled mostly about ½d. higher than in May, short grease and fleece remaining the same.

It will be seen that, taken as a whole, these results introduce but little change into the price level of merino wool as it existed at the close of last series.

The following shows the supplies and deliveries of colonial wool as compared with last year:—

	1888. Bales.	1888. Bales.	1887. Bales.	1887. Bales.
Held over from December		10,000		32,000
Imports for three series		1,091,000		921,000
		1,101,000		953,000
Forwarded direct	201,000		149,000	
Sold in London	881,000		774,000	
Total deliveries		1,082,000		923,000
Held over		19,000		30,000
Home consumption:—				
Forwarded direct	98,000		44,000	
Bought in London	381,000		357,000	
		479,000		401,000
Export:—				
Forwarded direct	103,000		105,000	
Bought in London	500,000		417,000	
		603,000		522,000
Total deliveries		1,082,000		923,000

There is thus an increase of 159,000 bales in the deliveries, due partly to the increased colonial production, partly to more rapid shipments. The distribution between the home and foreign trades is 44 per cent. and 56 per cent., or about the same proportion as usual. A point of interest in the above figures is the large increase in the wools forwarded direct to home consumers, the quantity being more than double what it was last year or in any former season.

The following table shows the declared value of Imports and Exports at the Sydney Customs from January 1st to August 18, 1887 and 1888:—

—	1887. Imports.	1887. Exports.	1888. Imports.	1888. Exports.
January 7	£179,393	£292,636	£209,847	£376,304
" 14	232,377	275,854	343,721	345,694
" 21	279,632	311,847	311,421	231,401
" 28	267,050	144,977	183,481	44,374
February 4	326,902	267,091	514,648	164,766
" 11	417,412	342,715	465,316	462,400
" 18	261,528	303,450	415,599	236,435
" 25	290,703	167,986	278,050	378,552
March 3	162,673	202,996	154,417	167,257
" 10	245,787	204,456	314,842	131,916
" 17	324,750	127,062	367,442	310,003
" 24	359,706	252,908	455,398	315,356
" 31	278,039	155,650	106,468	96,332
April 7	232,764	86,486	512,178	175,183
" 14	241,199	214,886	311,267	161,117
" 21	335,396	148,322	323,056	162,466
" 28	165,907	151,159	308,188	167,943
May 5	156,322	157,121	292,461	178,164
" 12	341,272	181,605	555,673	205,617
" 19	168,291	113,124	258,456	135,182
" 26	136,075	73,643	215,280	176,258
June 2	271,422	92,092	337,025	65,768
" 9	257,744	54,362	285,061	143,387
" 16	333,698	71,317	424,156	71,689
" 23	227,372	60,648	271,302	252,072
" 30	260,650	84,284	277,314	120,508
July 7	214,962	173,333	330,525	150,904
" 14	190,439	149,128	458,756	170,656
" 21	470,543	110,031	222,660	42,272
" 28	222,126	88,464	290,619	122,741
August 4	255,111	30,435	296,992	118,493
" 11	345,334	116,540	394,993	427,797
" 18	289,537	247,996	447,500	74,199
Totals	£8,767,127	£5,465,924	£11,012,182	£6,412,149

PRODUCE MARKET—FRIDAY.

This morning at Darling Harbour terminus a fairly large supply of forage and a moderate quantity of wood were submitted. The auctions were well attended by the trade. Competition for forage was again confined to prime lots of hay and chaff. Inferior kinds and straw were only in limited demand. Business in wood was moderately active. At the wharfs rather small consignments were forward, principally from the Hunter River and Southern ports. Business was more animated than on previous days. Chaff and prime green lucerne hay were firm. Onions easier. Other descriptions were without alteration. The following figures were obtained at Darling Harbour sales:—

Wood.—Moderate market. The demand was scarcely so strong as of late. Billet, 7s 6d to 10s per ton; bundle, 8s to 12s 6d; foot, 8s 6d to 13s; bakers', 7s 6d to 10s 6d.

Hay.—Twenty-four trucks to hand. Good coloured lots were bought under fair competition. Oaten, in bundles, 5s 3d to 5s 6d per cwt.; medium, 4s to 4s 7d; bales, 5s; lucerne, in bales, from the Bathurst district, 3s 3d to 3s 6d; oaten and wheaten, in bundles, 5s to 5s 1d.

Straw.—The supply forward consisted of nine trucks, and was sufficient for requirements. Clean wheaten, in bundles, 2s to 2s 4d per cwt.

Chaff.—Rather larger consignments than on previous day, namely, 20 trucks; oaten in bag, 4s 4d to 5s per cwt.; faulty to medium, 2s 5d to 4s 1d; straw, 2s 8d; lucerne, 2s 10d.

The following were the wholesale quotations at the wharfs:—

Maize.—Fair supplies. Still quoted 2s 9d per bushel.

Oats.—A stronger tone was manifested under this head, although prices are unchanged. Best stout heavy feed, 2s 3d to 2s 4d per bushel; medium, from 2s 1d; milling, 2s 4d to 2s 6d; seed, to 2s 6d. Messrs. Kaye and Carter's fortnightly Christchurch (New Zealand) circular of August 14, states:—"Oats remain firm, and holders are confident of enhanced values later in the season, owing to the lighter stocks than usual at this time of the year. Good heavy Canadians are worth 2s 2d; Sparrowbills 2s to 2s 1d.; and Danish 1s 10d."

Barley.—Slack, 2s 10d to 3s being quoted for Cape seed.

Bran.—Unaltered, 10d to 10½d per bushel.

Pollard.—Worth 10d to 10½d per bushel.

Hay.—Limited consignments again to hand from the Hunter River this morning, owing to the dry state of the weather in that district. Market firm at £5 per ton for good green lucerne; brown summer range from £2 10s to £3 15s.

Chaff.—A better demand was reported. Adelaide, £4 10s to £5 5s per ton; Victorian, £4 to £4 15s.

Onions.—A large supply of 1158 bags received last night from Victoria. Holders quote £7 15s to £8 per ton.

Potatoes.—Market favourably stocked. Ballarats, steady, £3 to £3 7s 6d per ton; Circular Head, £3 10s to £4; Warrnambool, £3; New Zealand, £3 10s to £3 15s. Respecting the Christchurch (New Zealand) market, Messrs. Kaye and Carter, of August 14, write:—"Potatoes.—Just now a more than usually active demand for local requirements is being experienced, and we are selling freely at 67s 6d f.o.b. With an improvement in the Sydney market, prices will advance here to 70s to 75s, and we are disposed to think that towards the end of the season high prices will rule."

Butter.—No change. Prime Illawarra, dairy kinds, 1s 6d to 1s 9d per lb.; roll, to 1s 10d; factory-made, 1s 9d to 2s; New Zealand, to 1s 3d; pastry sorts, 5d to 6d.

Cheese.—Ordinary colonial descriptions moving off 6d to 7d per lb.; loaf and special brands, to 7½d.

Eggs.—Ample supplies. Quiet, 10d to 10½d per dozen.

Poultry.—Unchanged, at per pair: Fowls, 2s 9d to 3s 6d; ducks, 3s 6d to 4s 6d; geese, 5s to 7s; turkeys, 8s to 13s.

Bacon.—Hand-cured Southern worth 6d to 8d per lb.; machine-cured, 5d to 6½d; heavy and rough pieces, 2d to 5d; hams, 6d to 9d. New Zealand, bacon, 9d; hams, 4s.

Lard.—Finely-rendered, in bladders, 5d to 6d per lb.; bulk, 4d to 5d.

Meat.—The Riverstone Meat Company report sales of 75 bodies of beef at 2½d per lb.; 700 bodies mutton, 1½d to 1¾d. Messrs. John Evans and Company report having sold, at the new Meat Market, Pyrmont, during this week:—200 hind-quarters prime Orange beef, 2½d to 2¾d; 100 crops, 1½d to 2½d; 50 carcases, 2d to 2½d; 80 carcases of Strathearn beef, 1½d to 2½d; 50 hind-quarters, 2½d to 2¾d; 50 fore-quarters, 1½d to 1¾d; 30 carcases Springfield beef, 1½d to 2½d; 300 quarters, various owners, 1¼d to 2¼d; 1500 carcases mutton, 1d to 1½d; 150 lambs, 5s to 10s; 40 prime porkers, from Orange, 3½d to 4½d; 25 from Strathearn, 4d to 5d; 200, various owners, 3½d to 4½d; 25 small vealers, 3d to 3½d. Mr. H. Macnamara, of the Metropolitan Meat Market, reports having sold beef at 1¾d to 2¼d per lb.; mutton, 1d to 1¼d; lambs in carcase, 5s 6d to 9s.

Fruit.—At George-street market fairly good supplies were received, principally from Queensland, Tasmania, and our various country districts. A moderate quantity of South Sea Island varieties was also on hand. The latest values are as follows:—Tasmanian apples, both eating and baking sorts, 6s to 12s per case; colonial, 4s to 8s; Queensland pineapples, 6s to 8s per dozen, or 12s per case; bananas, 2s to 5s per bunch; oranges, 3s to 6s per case; mandarins, 6s to 12s; lemons, 4s to 6s; loquarts, 8s to 20s, passion fruit, 1s per dozen; coconnuts, 6s to 7s per bag.

MEAT SALES.

Messrs. Joseph Leeds and Co. report having sold during the week, at the Government Meat Market, Darling Harbour, 45 bodies beef (Burwood) from 2d to 2½d per lb., 15 ditto (various owners) from 1½d to 2d per lb.; 500 carcases mutton (Goulburn) from 1d to 1¼ per lb., 350 ditto (various owners) from 1d to 1½d per lb.; 50 porkers (Goulburn) from 3d to 4½d per lb., 50 ditto (Parramatta) from 3d to 4d per lb.; vealers from 3½d to 4½d per lb.; lambs from 5s to 8s 6d each.—[ADVT.]

STATION STOCK AND PRODUCE REPORTS.

Tallow.—Messrs. F. L. Barker, J. H. Geddes and Co., J. Bridge, Hill, Clark, and Co., Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, and Mort and Co., Limited, report holding sales yesterday. 380 packages were offered and 201 sold publicly. The shipping demand was not so strong as at last sales, only the best bright lines commanding attention. Quotations:—Best beef, £18 5s to £19 per ton; medium, to £18; best mixed £18 15s to £19 7s 6d; second quality, £16 10s to £18 5s; inferior, from £13. There was no mutton available.

Hides.—5388 were offered, and 4408 sold at yesterday's auctions. The market was firm, and all descriptions maintained last week's values. Extra heavies, 3d to 3½d per lb.; heavy, 2½d to 3d per lb.; medium, 2½d to 2½d; light, 3d to 3½d; dry station, 2½d to 3½d; horse hides, 4s 6d to 6s; yearlings, 4s to 8s; calfskins, 1s to 3s 6d.

Marsupial Skins.—Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, report having, yesterday, submitted a very large auction catalogue, consisting of 250 lots. Competition throughout was spirited. Large sizes were firm, but owing to the unsatisfactory advices lately received from London and America, prices of small lines were considerably easier. They offered no extra large sizes. The following figures were realised:—Extra large kangaroo, 100s to 136s per dozen; superior skins, to 150s; large, 80s to 95s; medium, 55s to 70s; fair, 30s to 40s; small, 12s to 25s. Wallaby skins were in good demand, except small sizes. Best scrub, 10s to 14s 6d; medium, 5s to 7s 6d; rock, 2s to 4s. Opossum skins, only well-furred lines being in demand; medium and inferior skins being very difficult of sale only at low rates, owing to large supplies coming forward. Best, 7s to 10s 6d; medium, 4s 6d to 6s; rumpers and inferior, 1s 6d to 4s.

Hair.—Horsehair worth 13d to 14d per lb.; cow, washed, 11d to 12d; stumps and dirty, 6d to 10d.

Horns and Bones.—Large and well cared for lots of horns are very firm, 35s per 100; medium, 16s to 25s; small, 7s 6d to 14s; tips, from 2s 6d. Bones: The best lines are only salable; good shanks, to £7 per ton; other kinds, from £3; hoofs, £2.

Leather.—Business transacted at Tuesday's sales was on a very limited scale, the market still being dull. Kip was weaker in value, but tweed was unaltered. Sole was dull, especially for shipping purposes owing to English advices, which are still unfavourable. There was very little doing in harness lines. Quotations: Sole, heavy, 9d to 10d; medium, 7½d to 8d; light, to 8½d; kip, best, 13½d to 14d; medium, 11d to 12d; cow tweed, 15d to 20d; heavy, 13d to 14d; yearling tweed, 18d to 19d; calf tweed, 21d to 24d; waxed calf, 21d to 24d; best harness, 12d to 13d; medium, 10½d to 11d; bag, 9s to 11s; bridle, 10s to 11s.

Horses.—During the week the market was principally supplied from the city and suburbs; there being only a limited number of good fresh country stock. Ordinary classes are dull of sale; but young and useful horses have advanced in price. Good carriage pairs are in demand. Quotations: Best saddle and harness horses, £15 to £20; ordinary kinds, £5 to £12; active van and draught sorts, £10 to £15; heavy draughts, to £25; boys' ponies, £6 to £17.

Store Stock.—In the Southern districts the market is firm for store cattle. Bullocks are worth £5 to £5 15s; at Dubbo the value is about 85s. For store sheep the market is rather weaker. Four to eight tooth wethers in the central division, 5s to 5s 3d; further westward, 4s 6d to 5s.

Stations.—The dry state of the country interferes with business. The Sturt's Meadows station, in the Albert district, has been quitted since our last.

PROPERTY SALES.

Messrs. Hardie and Gorman report having sold the following properties by public auction and private contract, during the week:—Block of land, King-street, £50,000; block of land, Kent-street, £1800. Randwick: Block of land, 66ft. Frenchman's-road, £330. Randwick: Block of land, 33ft. to Tramway-street, £99. Mosman's Bay: Block of land, 60ft. frontage to Bay View-street, £360: total sales of the week, £52,589.

Messrs. Richardson and Wrench report having sold by auction and private contract during the week the following properties:—Corner block of property, Pitt-street, £17,709 7s 6d; block of property at Randwick, £10,350; block of land, fronting Kent-street, with buildings thereon, £7312; North Shore, Lewington-terrace, comprising 12 houses, £6600; block of property, Goulburn-street, £6150; block of city land, £5700; block of land, parish of Bankstown, £5618; Sutton Forest, block of land, comprising portion of Oldbury Estate, £5457 13s; block of land, fronting Kent-street, £4100; Campbelltown, Parkholme Estate, consisting of 150 acres, with residence thereon, £3200; Pyrmont, block of leasehold land, [illegible] Balmain, block of land, in area 5a. 1r. [illegible] £2856; North Shore, Lewington House, fronting Pitt-street, £1115; allotment of land off Sussex-street, £700; allotment of land fronting Sussex-street, £550; Waverley, land fronting Cowper-street, £588; North Shore, allotment fronting Pitt-street, £350; near Picton, Sell's grant, in area 52 acres, Great Southern-road and Bargo River, £312; official assignee's right, title, and interest in and to property fronting Great Western-road, parish of Lett, £200; Burwood, two allotments fronting Spring and Stanley streets, £232 10s; Petersham, Vera Cottage, fronting Victoria-street, £350; Ashfield, allotment No. 35, section 2, Claxby Estate, £70; Arncliffe, allotment No. 19, Kelsey Estate, £70; Glebe, various allotments, portions of Holme's Estate at Pines, ranging from £7 to £15 per foot; amount of sale, £2014 3s 4d; also a parcel of shares, £1054 40s. Total amount of sales for the week, £85,820 2s 6d.

Messrs. Batt, Rodd, and Purves report having sold during the past week by public auction and private contract, at their Rooms, 88, Pitt-street, the following properties:—City property, premises, Wynyard square, £10,500; house, Regent-street, £1100—Messrs. Holdsworth and Evans; Parramatta, Rock Farm, lot 36, lot 38, area 3a. 1r. 37¾p., £122 0s 1d—Mr. Alex. McHardy; forfeited share in the Lubra Silver-mining Company, No Liability, £40 5s 5d; Petersham, 2 cottages and land, Maddock-street, £415—Mrs. A. S. Hinwood; Double Bay, block of land, portion of the Cooper Estate, £5200—Messrs. Bell and Davis.

Messrs. Mills and Pile report the sale of the following properties:—City property, York-street, £9000; block of land, George-street, Brisbane, £10,250; lease of premises situate in George-street, city, £1500—Mr. George Goward; block of land, Mount Ramsay Estate, Narrabeen, £270—Mr. Hy. Mason; allotment of land, Mount Ramsay Estate, Narrabeen, £50—Mrs. Emily Mason; lots 4, 5, and 6, section 3, township of Newport, Pittwater, £30—Mr. T. Cosgrove. Total amount of sales for the week, £21,100.

WODONGA FAT STOCK MARKET.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

WODONGA, FRIDAY.

Messrs. Richard Gibson and Co. report having held a sale of store cattle at their Wodonga yards to-day. About 3000 head were yarded. There was a splendid attendance of buyers, and prices ruled very firm. Cobb's bullocks averaged £6 4s; Teeswater, £5 17s; and we sold 946 Shaw and Co.'s Rawbelle bullocks at £5 14s.

TRADES MOVEMENTS.

CARPENTERS AND JOINERS.

A meeting of the Progressive Society of Carpenters and Joiners and of the Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners was held in the large hall, at Protestant Hall, last evening. There was a good attendance of members. Mr. H. Nelson occupied the chair. The meeting was called for the purpose of considering certain working rules for the guidance of the trade of Sydney and suburbs. These rules, which had been previously printed on convenient slips for the use of the members, were eight in number. The following is a copy of the rules as originally submitted to the meeting:—1. That the working time be 48 hours per week. 2. That the standard rate of wages for carpenters and joiners be 10s. per day of eight hours, or 1s. 3d. per hour. 3. That all overtime be paid time-and-half; double time for Saturday afternoon and Sunday. 4. That all men employed by any employer, and sent two miles and over from where employed, shall receive fares both ways, or walking time allowed. 5. That no members of the society be allowed to work piecework, or to take contract labour only. 6. All employers, or their representatives, commence to pay not later than 1 o'clock on Saturday, if not, time-and-half be charged for waiting. Firms paying any other day in the week, not later than 5 o'clock, or time-and-half will be charged for waiting. This rule to apply to firms paying at 4 o'clock in the summer months. 7. Any employer discharging an employee without giving him two hours' notice, shall pay the same two hours' wages for sharpening tools; also the employee to give two hours' notice to the employer or his representative. 8. If an employee violate these rules, or create any ill-feeling between employer or his employees, shall be fined not less than 10s., or more than £2, as the committee or general body deem fit. These rules were not adopted by the meeting as submitted, but underwent certain alterations at the instance of various members present. Rule 5, relating to piecework, &c., was struck out. Rule 6., relating to the time members should be paid, was modified so that instead of "all employers, or their representatives, commence to pay not later than 1 o'clock on Saturday," was made to read "All employers, &c., commence to pay as soon as work ceased." Rule 8 was struck out. The rules so modified were adopted by the meeting, and it is understood that copies will be sent to the Builders and Contractors' Association for their consideration at their next regular meeting.

The "Museum of Religions," which, says an English contemporary, has been inaugurated in Paris, though it will not be open to the public till October, is a veritable Pantheon in the strictest application of the term. The images of all the divinities worshipped by all the peoples on the face of the globe are assembled in it, and not only the idols but the sacred objects used in the religious services of the different forms of worship; while in the library are to be found the sacred writings, with the accredited commentaries on them, of all the sects that possess a religious literature, and a complete collection of all modern works of importance on the history of religion. M. Guimet, who has enriched Paris with this valuable and interesting collection, has spent several years of his life and a great part of his very considerable fortune in getting it together. He has travelled all over the world, noted the ritual and ceremonies of each religion on the spot, and purchased the accessories pertaining to it from the priests themselves; so that of the genuineness of all the objects in the collection there can be no doubt. The building in which it is housed has been erected by the Government at an expense of over £100,000, and is a handsome structure in the neo-Greek style.

TO ALL LEAVING HOME FOR A CHANGE.—BILIOUS ATTACKS AND SEA SICKNESS.—"I can seldom go to sea without being sick, and I can safely say Eno's 'FRUIT SALT' is the only thing that ever gave me relief, and I shall ever recommend it to all who suffer from sea sickness.—I am, yours truly, W. Boyce, Signalman H.M.S. Industry, 24th May, 1880." Caution.—Legal rights are protected in every civilised country. Read the following:—"In the Supreme Court of Sydney (N. S. W.) an appeal from a decree of Sir W. Manning, perpetually restraining the defendant (Hogg) from selling a fraudulent imitation of 'Eno's Fruit Salt,' and giving heavy damages to the plaintiff, has, after a most exhaustive trial of two days' duration, been unanimously dismissed with costs."—Sydney Morning Herald, Nov. 26.—[ADVT.]

MR. F. STANICH has studied and practised at the clinical wards of Vienna and German Universities, and by appointment to his Excellency the ex-Governor of New South Wales. Mr. Stanich has removed to 29, Clarence-street, Sydney, where he can be consulted in the eye, ear, nose, and throat diseases, from 9 morning to 5 evening.—[ADVT.]

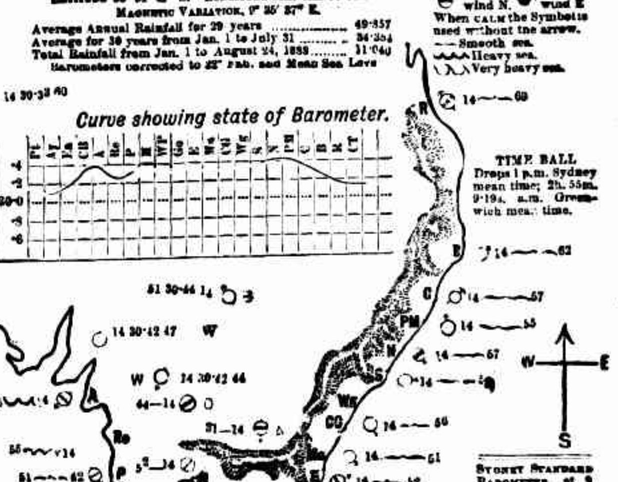
METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS AND MAP FOR AUGUST 24, 1888.

Stations.	wt.	Mx.	mn.	Rn.
Albury	c	56	35	0
Armidale	b	60	30	0
Balranald	b	75	38	0
Bathurst	b	64	24	0
Bega	—	—	—	—
Bendem'r	b	64	25	0
Bodalla	b	67	37	0
Bourke	b	77	40	0
Bowral	b	60	36	0
Bundarra	b	64	30	0
C'md'n H.	b	72	47	0
C. St. Geo.	b	67	46	0
Carcoar	b	54	35	0
Casino	b	76	49	0
Cassilis	b	64	35	0
Clarence	b	74	55	0
C'nd'b'lin	b	78	41	0
Cooma	b	72	22	0
Coonab'n	b	73	23	0
Cowra	b	70	33	0
Cudg'llico	b	71	37	0
Deniliq'n	c	56	35	0
Dubbo	b	70	27	0
Eden	o	50	44	0
Euston	b	72	26	0
Forbes	b	—	30	0
G'bo Is'nd	m	61	48	0
Glen Ins'n	b	46	26	0
Goulburn	b	63	25	0
Grafton	b	87	46	0
Gulgong	b	64	30	0
Gunned'h	b	78	33	0
Hay	b	72	32	0
Inverell	b	69	34	0
Kiandra	b	56	13	0
Lismore	f	77	49	0·02
Maitland	b	71	42	0
M'n'ng H.	b	70	47	0
Marsdens	b	88	40	0
Menindie	b	—	—	—
Molong	b	65	25	0
M'r'ng'r'll	b	64	37	0
Moree	b	55	33	0
Moruya	b	65	41	0
Moss Vale	b	60	35	0
Mt. Hope	b	72	49	0
M. Vict'ria	b	59	34	0
Mudgee	b	77	28	0
M'rr'mb'a	b	67	38	0
M'rr'r'ndi	b	65	31	0
Musl'br'k	b	70	35	0
Narrabri	b	74	35	0
Newcastle	f	—	[illegible]	0
Orange	b	51	30	0
Picton	b	71	34	—
P. M'q'rie	b	71	44	0
P. St'ph'n	b	72	50	0
Q'nbeyan	f	56	28	0
Quirindi	b	81	32	0
Singleton	b	75	48	0
Sydney	b	72	47	0
T'mworth	b	66	34	0
Taralga	b	59	38	0
T'nt'rfield	b	69	36	0
Wagga	b	60	27	0
Walcha	b	48	18	0
Walgett	b	71	39	0
Warialda	—	—	—	—
Warrah	b	65	36	0
W'ntw'rth	b	67	37	0
Wilcannia	b	68	33	0
W'll'ng'ng	b	74	—	0
Young	b	61	28	0

SYDNEY OBSERVATORY.

LATITUDE 33° 51' 41" S. LONGITUDE 10h. 4m. 50·61s. E.
MAGNETIC VARIATION, 9° 35' 37" E.

Average Annual Rainfall for 29 years .... 49·857
Average for 30 years from Jan. 1 to July 31 .... 34·254
Total Rainfall from Jan. 1 to August 24, 1888 .... 11·040
Barometers corrected to 32° Fah. and Mean Sea Level.



Fine, wind S. On T, wind W. T. Storm, wind N. Rain, wind E. When CALM the Symbols used without the arrow. Smooth sea. Heavy sea. Very heavy sea.

TIME BALL
Drops 1 p.m. Sydney mean time; 2h. 55m. 9·19s. a.m. Greenwich mean time.

SYDNEY STANDARD BAROMETER at 9 a.m., 30·372 inches.

NOTES EXPLANATORY OF MAP.

In the list of stations, the column headed W.T. gives the state of the weather at 9 a.m., b standing for blue sky; c, detached clouds; d, drizzling rain; f, fog; g, gloomy; h, hazy; m, misty; r, frosty; o, overcast; p, passing showers; r, rain; s, snow; t, thunder; u, threatening. The next column, M'x., gives the maximum temperature for previous 24 hours. M'n. the corresponding minimum temperature; R'n. the rain for the previous 24 hours. The symbols used in the map are explained on the margin. At each station the wind symbol points to the direction in which the wind is blowing, is in fact an arrow flying with the wind. A clear circle with it means fine weather, a circle with bar, cloudy weather; and a black spot, raining. Next to this symbol are placed figures denoting the number of miles the wind is moving per hour. Next, a symbol showing the state of the sea; and, lastly, figures denoting the shade temperature at 9 a.m. The barometer curve shows the state of barometers round the coast from Perth to Cooktown:—Pt. Perth; Ay. Albany; Ea. Eucla; CB. Cape Borda; A. Adelaide; Ro. Robe; P. Portland; M. Melbourne; WP. Wilson's Promontory; Go. Gabo; E. Eden; Ma. Moruya; CG. Jervois Bay; WG. Woollongong; S. Sydney; N. Newcastle; PM. Port Macquarie; C. Clarence River; B. Brisbane; R. Rockhampton; Ct. Cooktown. Inland, the state of barometer is given in figures at Albury, Deniliquin, Wentworth, Menindie, Bourke, and Alice Springs. The barometer curve enables one at a glance to trace the depressions, beginning with Western Australia, and passing along eastwards; northerly winds preceding them, and southerly following.

The rainfall on Sundays and holidays, when the map is not published, is in all cases included in the quantities shown by the next following map.

SYNOPSIS.

West Australia.—Scattered clouds in S.W., clear in N.W.
South Australia.—Generally fine and pleasant; scattered clouds.
Victoria and Straits.—Fine, but more or less cloudy, and on coast squally and showery.
Tasmania.—Fine, but more or less cloudy and squally; westerly winds.
New South Wales.—Generally fine and calm; few clouds on southern border.
Queensland.—Fine, with light and variable winds.
Central and North Australia.—Fine, with light S.E. winds.
New Zealand.—Fine generally, with fresh westerly winds.
Forecast.—New South Wales: Light and variable winds; on the coast some light easterly winds and fine generally.

3 P.M. OBSERVATIONS.

Deniliquin, calm, cloudy, 62°; Wentworth, W.S.W., fine, 64°; Goulburn, W., fine, 62°; Hay, calm, fine, 62°; Queanbeyan, W., fine; Forbes, calm, fine, 65°; Bathurst, calm, clear, 73°; Eden, E.S.E., fine, 55°; Newcastle, N.E., fine, 63°; Cape St. George, N.E., fine, 62°; Port Macquarie, E., fine, 73°; Clarence, S.E., fine, 71°; Sydney, N.E., fine, 63°.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR AUGUST 25.

Sun rises at 6.29, sets at 5.35; moon, 9.13 p.m., 8.24 a.m. Mercury, 6.40 a.m., 5.35 p.m.; Venus, 7.9 a.m., 6.29 p.m.; Mars, 9.58 a.m., 11.46 p.m.; Jupiter, 10.37 a.m., 12.27 a.m.; Saturn, 5.12 a.m., 3.58 p.m. New moon, 8th; full moon, 22nd.

High water at Fort Denison: 10.26 a.m., 10.42 p.m.

H. C. RUSSELL,
Government Astronomer.

LAW REPORT.

SUPREME COURT.—Friday, August 24.

In Banco.—(Before their Honors the Chief Justice, *Mr. Justice* Windeyer, *and Mr. Justice* Stephen.)

IN RE THOMAS BROUGHTON-BLACHNAN (CAVEATOR)

Mr. Pring moved for a rule nisi to set aside the order of the Court herein, on the ground that the three months having expired, the Court had no jurisdiction to entertain it.

Rule granted, returnable that day week.

TURNER V. BOYD AND KING.

On the motion of Mr. Bateman, the order of Mr. Justice Stephen herein, on the 3rd August, was made a rule of Court.

IN RE WM. LINDSAY.

On the motion of Mr. Bevan the order of Mr. Justice Foster in Chambers on the 29th June was made a rule of Court, with costs.

WILSON V. TARRANT.

Mr. Rogers, Q.C., appeared for appellant (defendant), and moved for a rule nisi for a new trial. The action, which was heard before his Honor the Chief Justice and a jury of four on the 25th June last, was one brought by David Wilson to recover from Joseph Tarrant the sum of £482 7s. on a promissory note, dated 1st September, 1887, payable in four months. Defendant filed a plea on equitable grounds to the effect that certain persons named Bingle, Constable, Withers, and himself were interested in the floating of a mine named the Omeo Gold and Silver-mining Company: that they needed money, and obtained it from the plaintiff on promissory notes (one of which was that now sued upon) in consideration of his obtaining a large interest in the company, he promising not to request payment of the money until the company had been floated or otherwise disposed of, and that negotiations were now proceeding for the sale of the company's property. There was, however, no agreement in writing to that effect. Mr. Rogers applied for leave to withdraw the plea on equitable grounds and substitute a plea that the plaintiff was not the holder of the note. His Honor refused to allow the pleadings to be amended, and directed the jury to return a verdict for the plaintiff for the sum of £497 14s. 5d., the amount of the note, together with the interest to date. A rule nisi to set aside this verdict was now asked for on the ground that his Honor was in error in rejecting parol evidence in support of the plea and in ruling that the plea was not one of an accommodation note.

The rule was granted.

HEALY V. BACK.

On the motion of Mr. C. J. Manning, who appeared for plaintiff (appellant), leave was given to appeal to the Privy Council on the usual terms.

EX PARTE MARY MARTHA WILKINSON.

There being no appearance in this case it was struck out.

KNAPP V. METROPOLITAN PERMANENT BUILDING SOCIETY.

Mr. Coffey appeared for the appellants (defendants), and moved for a rule nisi for a new trial of this District Court action, on the ground that Mr. District Court Judge Wilkinson, who tried the case had erroneously refused to receive in evidence certain letters and a cheque. The action was one in which plaintiff, a surveyor, sued to recover the sum of £40 for work and labour, &c. A verdict was returned for the full amount, and a rule nisi was now asked for on the grounds already stated.

Rule granted, returnable that day week.

M'LEAN V. GABELL AND OTHERS.

Mr. Mann appeared for the defendants (respondents). There was no appearance for plaintiff (appellant). The appeal was one against a decision of Mr. District Court Judge Murray at Kempsey.

Application struck out with costs.

BARRETT V. BUCHANAN.

Dr. Sly, instructed by Mr. P. H. Sullivan, appeared for appellant (defendant), and Mr. Cohen, instructed by Mr. Coonan, for respondent. This was an application to make absolute a rule nisi to set aside the verdict of Mr. District Court Judge Wilkinson in the above action. The plaintiff, Michael Barrett, a builder, sued Edward Harman Buchanan to recover damages for breach of agreement, alleged negligence and fraud in connection with the erection of two cottages at Holterman-street, North Shore, the building of which defendant agreed to superintend as architect. After the evidence had closed Dr. Sly asked his Honor to note that there was no evidence of fraud or collusion as charged by plaintiff; but his Honor held that there was fraud, and returned a verdict in favour of the plaintiff, with damages £15. It was now sought to have this verdict set aside and a nonsuit entered, on the ground that there was no evidence of fraud.

The Court held that there was no evidence of fraud to support the finding of his Honor, and directed a nonsuit to be entered, with costs of the present motion and the Court below.

SYDNEY NEWSPAPER COMPANY V. MUIR.

Dr. Sly, instructed by Mr. P. V. M'Culloch, appeared for plaintiffs (appellants), and Mr. G. H. Reid, instructed by Mr. G. Merriman, for respondent. This was an application on behalf of the plaintiffs, the proprietors of the *Sunday Times*, to make absolute a rule nisi to set aside the decision on the 12th and 20th June last of Mr. District Court Judge Dowling in an action brought by them against T. G. Muir, to recover the sum of £25 for 13 advertisements published in the plaintiff's newspaper, under a contract entered into by defendant with plaintiffs' company. The defendant defended the action on the following grounds:—1. That the contract could not be enforced because illegal. 2. That paragraphs of a certain dimension were to be inserted, and they were not. 3. That the defendant was induced to make the contract by means of false representations. 4. That the puffs were to be half a column in length. After the evidence had been given, his Honor reserved judgment, and on the 25th June he delivered his decision, finding in favour of plaintiffs on the second, third, and fourth defences, but held that the contract was illegal, and found a verdict for defendant. This decision was now appealed against on the ground "that his Honor was in error in holding that the contract sued upon was illegal, and that the plaintiffs could not recover thereunder."

After hearing argument,

The Chief Justice said that the Court would deliver judgment on Monday next. At the same time they expressed their opinion that the decision of the District Court Judge was correct, and that he came to a right conclusion.

No. 1 Jury Court.—(Before his Honor Mr. Justice Innes *and a jury of four.)*

DAVIES AND ANOTHER V. NATIONAL FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND (PART HEARD).

Mr. Pilcher, Q.C., and Mr. C. B. Stephen (instructed by Mr. Elliott Meyer) appeared for the plaintiffs; and Mr. Salomons, Q.C., Mr. O'Connor, and Mr. G. Campbell (instructed by Messrs. Creagh and Williams) for the defendants. This was an action brought by Messrs. Charles Davies and Frederick John Phillips, formerly trading as Messrs. Charles Davies and Co., and carrying on business at Cambridge-road, South Hythe, Parramatta River, as butterine manufacturers, to recover the amount of two policies of insurance.

Mr. Pilcher having concluded his address to the jury on behalf of the plaintiffs,

His Honor summed up. He said that the third count of the plaintiff's declaration was upon a special agreement which was alleged, and which was sought to be made out by the evidence of the plaintiffs as to what took place in an interview between Mr. Phillips, Mr. Robey, and Mr. Gibbs. The case was no doubt one of considerable importance, as most of these cases of fire and marine insurance were, and there were many matters well worthy of consideration by the Full Court. Of course, in matters of insurance, actions of this kind rarely came into court unless there was some well-grounded reason on the part of an insurance company, or, at all events, insurance companies who conducted their business upon anything like intelligible principles very rarely thought it worth while to come into court to contest a claim to insurance unless there was some well-grounded defence to the claim. He was not saying this with the slightest desire to influence the jury in favour of the defendants, because it sometimes turned out upon an investigation and a thorough sifting of the matters which the company thought were important and well worthy of consideration that there was no ground whatever for the defence set up. Of course sometimes insurance companies—though he did not say this was one of such cases—were ill-advised enough to take small technical grounds of resistance to a claim. At the same time, they were entitled to make such a defence, however technical it might be, if it was good in point of law; but, as a rule, insurance companies defended a case upon more substantial grounds. This was a very peculiar case, and more particularly in regard to the open marine policy. Of course upon the fire policy there was not the same question of difficulty with regard to the construction of the contract itself, but as to the open marine policy, in the events as they had appeared, it seemed to him that there were very considerable difficulties in the way of plaintiff's recovering. By an arrangement which had been come to, however, with regard to the second and third counts, it had been agreed that the jury were to assess the damages—that was supposing they thought there were no very substantial grounds made out against plaintiff's succeeding—leave being reserved to either party to move the Court one way or the other. He had no doubt as business men the jury knew that in fire insurance affairs insurance companies undertook, upon the payment of a comparatively small premium, to indemnify persons from loss, and it was necessary that a contract of that kind should be regarded as one of the utmost good faith, and anything in the shape of improper concealment of a material fact which should be communicated to the company, and which would influence them in deciding whether they would undertake or decline the risk, or any misrepresentation of some material fact, could not be said to be mere technical matters but substantial matters of defence, and if they were proved the person seeking to recover the amount of an insurance under such circumstances was not entitled to succeed. But such a defence when raised must be thoroughly justified and proved. With regard to the answers given to certain questions set out in the proposal the defendant company charged that they were wilfully false, but Mr. Davies distinctly swore that he never inserted them and never authorised Mr. Robey to insert them. One question which the jury would have to decide was whether Davies made these answers. Of course they need not necessarily be in his own handwriting, and the question they would have to determine was whether Robey, with the authority of Davies and Phillips, inserted these answers of which the defendant company complained. Mr. Robey was not called by one side or the other, and the jury must draw their own inferences from that. They would also draw their own inference from the intrinsic evidence furnished by the document itself. As to the second of these questions it would be his duty to tell them that the word "proponent" must be considered as applying to each member of the firm, inasmuch as contracts of this kind were contracts of personal trust to a very great extent, and an insurance company were entitled to information as to whether any member of the firm had been connected with any other transaction of the kind. If they thought that Phillips had been a claimant upon any other insurance company, not merely as an employee of M'Fie, Phillips and Co., or Phillips Brothers and Co., but as a partner in either firm plaintiffs could not recover, because the defence set up, namely, that a false answer had been given to one of the questions in the proposal would have been made out. His Honor then referred to the main points of the evidence, and said, in regard to the evidence of the conversation between Phillips and Gibb as to the open policy, that the jury would have to determine whether such conversation took place or not.

The jury retired at 20 minutes past 2 o'clock, and after an absence of about an hour returned into Court with a verdict for plaintiffs, on the first count £887 3s. 2d., and on the second and third counts £2134 0s. 5d., subject to the reductions agreed upon by counsel. They also answered the following questions put to them in writing by his Honor:—

Did Davies state that the risk had not been declined by any other office?—No.

Did Davies state that the proponents had never been claimants on a Fire Insurance Company?—No.

Was Phillips a claimant in his own interest (either as a partner in M'Fie, Phillips, and Co. or Phillips Brothers, or Phillips Brothers and Co., or not) and not as a servant or employee on a Fire Insurance Company?—Not in his own interest but as a servant only.

Was there any fraudulent overcharge in the claim?—No.

Was the stock-in-trade the property of the plaintiffs, and not held in trust or on joint account with others? Yes, the property of plaintiffs.

Was there a fraudulent concealment from the defendants of material facts as alleged in the tenth plea, or any of them, and were the defendants thereby induced to accept the insurances, or either of them, and to enter into the contract alleged in the third count? No.

Do you find the contract declared on in the third count proved? Yes.

The verdict is subject to leave reserved to defendants to move the Full Court mainly upon the finding as to the second and third counts.

DAUNT V. JAMES.

Mr. Cohen, instructed by Mr. H. A. Lyons, appeared for plaintiff. Defendant did not appear. This was an action brought by J. W. Daunt against J. R. James to recover the sum of £96 5s. upon a breach of contract for the sale to defendant of 700 shares in the Piesse's Nob Silver Mine, Broken Hill, in the month of March last.

Verdict for plaintiff, £43 15s.

No. 2 Jury.—(Before his Honor Mr. Justice Foster *and a jury of four.)*

JURORS FINED.

The following gentlemen were fined £5 each for non-attendance as jurors:—F. J. Haller, 12, Rosebank-street, Sydney; John Ryan, 140, Kent-street, Sydney; Louis Halvourson, 716, George-street, Sydney.

CAROLAN V. HOARE AND WIFE.

Mr. Want and Mr. Heydon, instructed by Mr. T. M. Slattery, appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. Wise, instructed by Messrs. Jones and Jones, appeared for the defendants.

This was an action brought by Robert Francis Carolan to recover from John H. Hoare and wife the sum of £2000, for injuries done to the plaintiff's son, Claude Bede Carolan (a boy 10 years of age) by a dog belonging to the defendants. It was set forth in the plaint that the female defendant caused a savage dog to attack and bite Claude Bede Carolan, whereby he became, and remained for a long time, sick and wounded, incurred serious bodily injuries, and suffered great pain of body.

The facts of the case, as elicited from the evidence called on behalf of the plaintiff, were to the effect that in November last Mr. Carolan's son, in company with another boy, went to Cook's River, and the boys on returning to their homes had to pass by the defendants' residence at the roar of which there was a paddock. In order to shorten the distance they crossed the paddock, but the boy Carolan finding after they had crossed that he had dropped his penknife, went back to look for it. When about half way across the paddock some alarm was raised by the other boy, and on looking up he saw the female plaintiff letting lose a dog which she set on to attack him. The boy ran, but the dog, which was a retriever, overtook him, and laid hold of him by the right leg, dragged him about, shook him, and inflicted a severe lacerated wound. Two men who happened to be in the vicinity witnessed the occurrence, and rescued the boy. The boy, who was in a weak and exhausted state, was taken to a chemist's shop, and afterwards to his own home, where he remained under medical treatment for some time. The medical testimony went to show that the boy's nervous system had been very much injured by the occurrence, that the wound inflicted by the dog was in a dangerous position, and that the boy must have suffered very great pain. On the evening of the day on which the occurrence took place, Mr. Carolan, in company with two others, went to the defendants' residence to see about the matter. He saw the female defendant, who, in reply to a statement he made to the effect that it was a brutal thing to set the dog on to the boy, said she would do it again; and she stated that the dog did not belong to her, but to her husband.

For the defence, medical testimony was called to show that the boy was not injured to the extent alleged, and that he was comparatively well in May last. The female plaintiff and her daughter were called as witnesses for the defence, and denied the allegation made on behalf of the plaintiff. Counsel did not address the jury, and his Honor summed up very briefly. The jury, after a short retirement, returned a verdict for plaintiff, and assessed the damages at £100.

DUNLOP V. BOROUGH OF WAVERLEY.

The action, Dunlop v. the Borough of Waverley, was postponed until Monday.

In Equity.—(Before his Honor Mr. Justice Owen, *Chief Judge in Equity.)*

ROURKE V. SCWEIKERT.

His Honor delivered judgment in this matter as follows:—In this case the defendant is the transferee of a portion of Kent's grant of 570 acres in the parish of Hunter's Hill. His predecessor in title, Mrs. Eggberry, was the owner of 50 acres, part of the said grant, and she bought the land under the Real Property Act, and obtained a certificate of title dated the 20th day of April, 1865; locating and describing the said 50 acres in the following manner:—"That piece of land situated in the parish of Hunter's Hill, county of Cumberland, and colony aforesaid, containing 50 acres or thereabouts, commencing at Shrimpton's Creek, at the northern corner of Paul Benson's 112 acres and 34 perches, and bounded on the south-west by the north-eastern boundary of that land, bearing south-easterly about 49 chains and 50 links to the Field of Mars Common. On the south-east and north-east by that common, bearing north-easterly 10 chains, and north-westerly 50 chains 85 links to Shrimpton's Creek aforesaid; and on the north-west by that creek upwards to the point of commencement as shown on the plan, hereon and therein edged red. Being part of 570 acres alienated in the public map of the said parish, deposited in the office of the Surveyor-General, originally granted to William Kent, jun., on Crown grant, dated the 17th day of April, 1803." The plan on the certificate showed four subdivisions or parcels, two of them containing 12 acres and two containing 12 acres 30 perches, and showing the lengths of the north-west lines as 4 chains 87½ links respectively, and outside those lines is written "Field of Mars Common." By divers mesne transfers one of the said parcels containing 12 acres 30 perches became vested in the defendant in the year 1883, and in the separate certificate of title the said lands are described as "That piece of land situated in the parish of Hunter's Hill and county of Cumberland, containing 12 acres and 30 perches, or thereabouts, commencing at the eastern corner of William Kent, jun.'s, 570 acres grant, and bounded thence on the north-east by part of the Field of Mars Common, bearing north-westerly 25 chains; on the north-west by a line bearing south-westerly 4 chains 87½ links to a road 25 links wide; on the south-west by that road bearing south-easterly 25 chains to the Field of Mars Common aforesaid; and on the south-east by part of that common bearing north-easterly 4 chains 87½ links to the point of commencement; together with a right-of-way over the road 25 links wide aforesaid, coloured brown on plan, part of Kent's grant." Up to that time, and until the year 1885, it was supposed by everybody that the Field of Mars Common extended up to the north-east boundary of the defendant's land, as shown by the said certificate, and the Government surveyors and the Government officials in the Real Property Offices so treated it; but about the year 1885 another survey was made of the common, and the then surveyor considered that the common did not extend so far, so that a space containing about four acres was left between the boundary of the common and the north-east boundary of the defendant's land, as shown on his certificate. Thereupon the defendant wrote to the Minister for Lands a letter dated the 16th July, 1885, stating that Mr. Surveyor Scrivener had aligned Kent's grant as per plan sent therewith, and asking if he was legally entitled to move his fence to the said alignment and take the extra portion into his property. He stated also that when he commenced to move his fence he was forcibly prevented by Stephen Rourke. On this letter the Minister for Lands wrote a minute:—"Mr. Furber has informed me that Mr. Scrivener's line is the correct boundary between Kent's grant and the Field of Mars Common. Inform the writer of the fact." On the 4th March, 1887 the defendant's solicitors wrote to the Registrar-General the following letter:—"We beg to forward you Certificate of Title, vol. 342, folio 247, dated 11th June, 1878, for the purpose of surrendering same, and having a new certificate issued to our client, John George Schweikert, the present transferee thereof, with corrected boundaries, as, since the issue of the above certificate, a re-survey has been made by the Government surveyor, Mr. Scrivener, of the boundary of the Field of Mars Common, which shows that the measurements in the above certificate are incorrect. We enclose plan and report of Mr. G. G. Donaldson, licensed surveyor under the Real Property Act, showing the true position and corrected boundaries and measurements of the land." The defendant's application was apparently forwarded to Mr. Deering, the Metropolitan and Coast District Surveyor, for report, and on the 20th April, 1887, he reported to the Under-Secretary for Lands that since the defendant's certificate was issued a re-survey of the common had been made, and the boundary of Kent's grant was placed at 177 links further north and embracing land hitherto considered part of the common, and stating that in his opinion the amended certificate of title applied for should issue to Schweikert. One paragraph in Mr. Deering's report very properly points out the effect of so altering well-known and accepted boundaries. He says, "Whether it was a wise or proper course to take to set aside all previous survey, both by Government and by private surveyors, upon which a certificate of title had been issued: and to depart from this, and all prior occupation of the land, by marking a new boundary and surrendering Government land is a matter that may be noticed, but is now past discussion." On the 8th August, 1887, a fresh certificate issued to the defendant, containing 16a. 1r. 36p., instead of 12a. 30p., and bringing the north-east boundary up to the new boundary of the Field of Mars Common. The plaintiffs claim this land by a possessory title under the Statute of Limitations, alleging in their claim that one Bernard Rourke, who was the first husband of Mrs. Eggberry, and the father of the plaintiff Stephen Rourke, had been in possession of these lands as part of 50 acres occupied by him for many years before he died, and had put the plaintiff Stephen Rourke in possession, who had remained in possession up to the present time. Before going into evidence as to the plaintiffs' title by possession, I asked counsel to argue the points of law, and, among others, whether the defendant's certificate of title was conclusive evidence that the defendant was entitled to this land, and, if not, whether the Registrar-General could amend the defendant's certificate by including these four acres in the way in which the certificate was amended, even though the plaintiffs should hereafter fail to prove their title to them. Although the 33rd section of the Act provides that every certificate of title shall be conclusive evidence that the person named in such certificate as seized of or taking estate or interest in the land therein described is seized of such land for the estate or interest therein specified, the 40th section excepts any portion of land that may, by wrong description of parcels or of boundaries, be included in the certificate of title; and the 115th section allows an action of ejectment to be brought against the registered proprietor in the case of a person deprived of or claiming any land included in any certificate of other land by misdescription of such other land, or of its boundaries, as against the registered proprietor of such other land not being a transferee thereof bona fide for value. In the recent case of Marsden v. M'Alister, 8 N.S.W., L.R. 300, following a long line of cases in this court, from Mate v. Nugent, 7 S.C.R. 302, the Full Court decided that the 33rd section must be read with the 40th and 115th; and that the two latter sections must be taken to be exceptions to the 33rd, and they held that land wrongly included in the parcels of a certificate did not deprive the rightful owner of his legal interest in such lands. It is clear, therefore, that the certificate is not conclusive evidence that the land described in the certificate is rightly included in it. In the reported cases, the Court has determined that the parcels were not rightly included in the certificate by evidence of a better title to the land in some other person. The question, however, here is whether the Court can, where no evidence has been given of a better title to the land, go behind the certificate, and show that the Registrar-General had no power to amend the certificate in the way he did, so as to include a further area of four acres. The 33rd section provides that the certificate shall be conclusive evidence that the property comprised in such certificate of title has been duly brought under the provisions of the Act. This, in my opinion, must relate to cases where application has been made to bring the land under the Act in accordance with the provisions of section 14, and not to cases where land has been included in that amended certificate merely by extension of the boundaries. Where application is made to bring land under the Act the Legislature has provided numberless safeguards to prevent as far as possible any injustice being done by including lands improperly in the certificate, or by conferring a larger estate in the lands than the applicant is entitled to, and a certificate issued under those circumstances is made conclusive evidence that the property has been only brought under the Act, but a certificate issued without any such application appears to be open to question. In this case all the documents have been put in evidence, showing what the defendant's application was, and how it was dealt with. It is clear from these documents that no application was made under the 14th section to bring the additional four acres under the Act, nor was the application so dealt with by the Real Property Office; but it was a surrender of the old certificate, and a request for a new certificate with corrected boundaries. With that evidence before it, I think the Court can decide whether the Registrar-General had power under the Act to issue such amended certificate comprising land not hitherto under the Act. There are only two ways of obtaining an amended certificate as to boundaries under the Act, by applying either under the 126th section or under the 14th. In my opinion, the 126th section does not apply to the case of a proprietor applying to enlarge his boundaries. It appears to me clearly to refer to cases only where more land is included in the certificate than the proprietor is entitled to. The 126th and 127th sections refer to proceedings against the proprietor, and not in his favour. If he seeks to enlarge his boundaries, he should apply under section 14 to bring the additional land under the provisions of the Act, and then notice would be given to all persons claiming adverse interests in the land, and the Examiner would investigate the title. In this case the land brought under the Act is only the land as described in the certificate by metes and bounds; as to that land only, notices have been given and the title investigated. The defendant, therefore, if he seeks to include other land in his certificate, must apply in due form to bring the additional land under the Act, and cannot evade all the salutary inquiries and notices by applying merely to have his boundary altered. If application had been made under the 14th section, notice would have been given to the plaintiffs, who would have had an opportunity of lodging a caveat and having their claim to a possessory title determined. Whereas, in this case, the defendant's application was made admittedly behind the plaintiffs' backs, who appear to have had no notice of defendant's title till he commenced an action of ejectment against them on obtaining his new certificate. The title of the defendant to these four acres would also have been investigated by the Examiner, who would have had to decide whether the defendant's land, having been located by metes and bounds by his original certificate, he is entitled to land outside those metes and bounds, because, in addition to the stated lengths of the lines of his boundaries and the stated area of his land, the north-east boundary is stated to be the Field of Mars Common. If the defendant, having purchased 12 acres 30 perches, and having obtained a certificate for such area, comprised within limited lines, could claim 4 acres, because the boundary of the Field of Mars Common was altered, he could, for the same reason, claim 40 acres if the new boundary were moved far enough. The Examiner would also have to determine whether a purchaser of 12 acres 30 perches, part of a grant of 570 acres, is entitled to appropriate the whole increment which accrues from altering the boundaries of the grant: or whether such increment should not be apportioned among all the holders of the various subdivisions of the grant. It appears to me that a great injustice might be done if the defendant could acquire this land by merely applying to have his boundaries altered without giving the notice and submitting to the inquiries and investigation of title which would be given and made if he had applied under the 14th section to bring these four acres under the provisions of the Act. For these reasons I am of opinion that the Registrar-General had no power to alter the defendant's boundaries as he has done; and that the amended certificate, so far as it includes these four acres, is void. Plaintiff to have his costs of suit from defendant.

PARKINSON V. PARKINSON.

Mr. Gordon, instructed by Mr. F. W. Walker, appeared for the plaintiff, and the defendant (Mrs. Parkinson) pleaded her own case. This was a motion by the plaintiff (John Parkinson) for an injunction to restrain the defendant (Ellen Jane Parkinson) from proceeding to prosecute her suit for restitution of conjugal rights. Mr. Gordon read an affidavit made by the plaintiff, showing that the plaintiff was married to the defendant at Liverpool, England, in 1886; that they had lived together for some years; and that, on account of some differences and disagreements between them, the plaintiff and the defendant agreed to separate and live apart from one another. A covenant was entered into under the deed of separation, by which the defendant agreed that she would not take or institute any proceedings for restitution of conjugal rights or judicial separation as long as the covenants of the plaintiff were duly observed. The defendant read an affidavit setting forth that the payments promised to her had not been made. This was admitted by the plaintiff, who contended that he had been molested by the defendant contrary to covenant under the deed of separation. This molestation was denied by the defendant, who said she had only written to plaintiff to ask for payments due to her.

His Honor granted the injunction, so long as the plaintiff observed the terms of the deed as to payment.

ARMSTRONG V. COWLES.

Mr. Lingen appeared for the plaintiff, Andrew Armstrong, and Mr. Manning, with Mr. Watkins, for the defendant, Charles Cowles. This was a motion for a decree, on admission in the pleadings. The plaintiff sought to make Messrs. Burns and Burns (solicitors) agents for the sale of certain lands under contract not signed by the agents, Messrs. Mills and Pile. The defendant admitted proof of conveyance, and for the plaintiff it was argued that this was sufficient to satisfy the statute of frauds and make Messrs. Burns and Burns agents.

The application was dismissed, with costs.

RE AUSTRALASIAN POWDER AND EXPLOSIVES COMPANY.

This was a petition on behalf of Robert Prendergast, a creditor for a winding-up order re the Australasian Powder and Explosives Manufacturing Company (of Narrabeen). Mr. Watkins, instructed by Messrs. Ellis and Makinson, appeared for the petitioner, and Mr. Edmunds, instructed by Mr. Waldron, for the respondent company.

An order was made for the winding up of the company, with costs of service of the second copy of the petition against the company. The question as to the appointment of a liquidator is to be considered a week hence, when both parties shall have filed affidavits in the matter.

RE K. C. MACKENZIE AND THE TRUSTEE ACT OF 1852.

Dr. Coghlan appeared on behalf of the petitioners, Mackenzie and Gibson, for a vesting order under the following circumstances:—In July, 1885, the Presbyterian Church committee of Bourke bought certain land, and appointed William Fordyce and others to take transfer as trustee. Fordyce did so, and deposited the deeds with the manager of the Commercial Bank, but afterwards absconded. The petitioners now sought to have the land vested in the names of the two petitioners jointly with one Mark Tully. Affidavits were read in support of the petition, which was granted.

BISHOP OF SYDNEY V. INGLIS.

Mr. Walker, with Mr. Knox, appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Salomons and Mr. Lingen, instructed by the Crown Solicitor, for the defendant. This was a claim brought by the Bishop of Sydney, representing the Church of England, against the Minister for Education, for the sum of £579 and interest thereon in respect of certain lands for the years 1880-1-2. Certain moneys were paid over to the Church of England by the Government for these lands, which were originally vested in the Church. The Act 44 Victoria, No. 19, was passed to enact that the same sum of money as was paid in 1879 by the Government should be paid to the Church of England during the years 1880-1-2. To this the defendant demurred on the ground that the plaintiff Bishop had no right to sue on behalf of the Church, and that he had no right in equity to enforce the claim.

Counsel having argued the matter, his Honor announced that he would give his judgment on Monday.

In Chambers.—(Before his Honor Mr. Justice Foster).

IN RE WILLIAM SMITH.

Mr. Moriarty, instructed by Mr. C. W. Readett, appeared for the appellant, and Mr. Healey, instructed by the Crown Solicitor, in support of the decision of the magistrates. This was an appeal on behalf of William Smith against his conviction for a breach of the Fisheries Act by certain magistrates of Raymond-terrace on 13th July last. The information alleged that on the 22nd June last the appellant, a fisherman at Tilligberry, transmitted by land carriage a quantity of oysters in bags, such bags not being marked at or near the middle thereof with number of the lease and the name of the water from which they came. It was proved upon the hearing that appellant on the day named in the information transmitted by land the bags of oysters, and that they were not marked as required by the 31st clause of the Fisheries Act regulations. Mr. Readett, for the defence, contended that the lessee was liable, and not the employee; but the magistrates overruled the objection, and fined the defendant £5 with court and professional costs, levy and distress, and in default of sufficient distress one month's imprisonment in Maitland Gaol with hard labour. After hearing argument his Honor dismissed the appeal, but without costs, as he considered that the defendant had been misled.

QUIGLEY V. SMYTHE (PART HEARD).

Mr. Field appeared for plaintiff, and moved for a rule nisi to set aside the verdict in the above action. The case, which was tried in the District Court, before Judge Wilkinson, was one in which the plaintiff sued to recover the amount of an account for coals sold and delivered to the defendant. A verdict was returned for the defendant, and a rule was now moved for to set it aside, on the ground that defendant had admitted having purchased the goods.

His Honor (who had reserved his decision until to-day) granted the rule nisi on the grounds that the judgment of the District Court Judge could not be supported by any legitimate inference, that the judgment was not a reasonable one under section 71 of the District Courts Act, and that the Judge was in error in nonsuiting after defendant had admitted receiving the coal.

BANKRUPTCY COURT.—Friday.

(Before his Honor Mr. Justice Deffell.)

PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS.

Re Robert Leslie M'Cracken. This was an adjourned examination. The bankrupt denied that he had previously been insolvent. The contracts he had for the erection of four houses amounted to £4200. If he received £3590, and his bank-book only showed the receipt of barely £2000, he could not explain the deficiency. He could not remember that at the time he gave a second mortgage to Messrs. Goodlet and Smith, when his credit was stopped with that firm, he told Mr. Nichols, a creditor, that he was in a good financial position. All the money he had received had been paid to the account of his business. The examination was adjourned until 2 p.m. on Tuesday, September 25, the bankrupt in the meantime to supply the official assignee and the trustees with a statement in conformity with the 138th section of the Bankruptcy Act.

Re Edward Joseph Blockhuys and Paul Medcat. Three debts were added to the list. The cash account had not been made out as required by the official assignee, and the examination was adjourned until 2 p.m. on Tuesday, October 2, the bankrupt to supply a statement of affairs, in conformity with the requirements of the 138th section of the Bankruptcy Act.

Re John Murphy. Bankrupt did not desire to amend his statement of affairs. He bought the interest of a man in some land at Carlton from a building society. He commenced to build a public-house there, for which he obtained a provisional license. About 18 months ago he made arrangements to sell to a Mr. Bartlett for £100 his interest in the land and license. The original arrangement was that Mr. Bartlett was to pay him £300, and Mr. Bartlett was to pay the company; but the bankrupt only got £100. He considered the property, with the license, to be worth about £1000 at the present time. About £2400 had been spent on the place. He had some property at Riverstone, which he settled upon his wife three years ago. He had been married 12 years; had never settled property on his wife before or since the time named. The bankrupt was allowed to pass.

Re Ernest Rodgers. Bankrupt did not desire to amend his statement. He had been a produce merchant, but did not keep a cash-book. The entry in his pass-book, "Dr. to trustees, £884 14s. 10d.," referred to the amount due upon an agreement of his creditors to accept 12s. 6d. in the £. He had paid some of the creditors more than 12s. 6d. in the £. A bill for about £94 held by a creditor named Campbell was omitted from the list prepared for the composition through inadvertence. The amount was paid afterwards. Another creditor had been paid an additional 7s. 6d. in the £. He told his creditors that if time were allowed he would pay all in full. The bankrupt was allowed to pass.

Re Samuel Schofield. The examination was adjourned for a week to allow of a statement of affairs being put in.

Re Thomas Joseph Lloyd. Bankrupt did not wish to amend his statement. He received a cheque for £40 from a Mr. Vinden. It was an accommodation cheque, but Mr. Vinden owed him £35 for board and lodging and for goods sold and delivered. The cheque was post-dated. It was held by his brother, and, when presented, it was not paid. On account of that cheque he had paid £40 to Mr. O'Connor, a solicitor. That money he obtained from two customers of his. Mr. Vinden did not contribute to that payment. The examination was adjourned until 2 p.m. on the 31st instant.

Re Michael Benedict Magill. Bankrupt leased a toll-gate from the borough of Macdonaldtown. The return from the gate averaged about £1 2s. per day. The council proceeded against him, and a writ of fi. fa. was lodged. He was still receiving the toll money, and after paying wages to a man had about £5 per week clear money. He gave a bill of sale for £30 over his furniture. He had a writ issued against him by the City Council for £566. He carried on the baths in the Domain. The baths were not in his name, but he had never denied that he was the proprietor of the baths. The rent for the baths was £70 per month; they returned about £90 per month in the summer time. The bankrupt was allowed to pass.

Re John Tudgay. This was an adjourned examination. Bankrupt stated that the furniture in his house belonged to his wife under an anti-nuptial settlement. The bankrupt was allowed to pass.

SINGLE MEETINGS AND PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS.

Re James Urwin. Bankrupt had filed his statement of affairs. The examination was adjourned until 12th October. The bankrupt was ordered to file a statement of his affairs under the 138th section of the Bankruptcy Act, within three weeks.

Re Marcus Shortus. The bankrupt did not desire to amend his statement of affairs. He had, he said, no accounts to file. Had not paid any money to become a partner in the firm of Stanfield and Co., Summer Hill. He only received one-third of the profits as estate agent. His mother paid £100 for him to enter that business, not as a partner, but to settle him in something. He purchased some shares in the Summer Hill Skating Rink for his mother, who took 12 shares, two of which were in his name. He had sold the shares and handed the money to his mother. That was before his sequestration. The bankrupt was allowed to pass.

Re John George Ruwald. Bankrupt did not desire to amend his statement of affairs. The bankrupt was allowed to pass.

CREDITORS' PETITION.

Re M'Lean Brothers and Rigg, Limited, v. H. Proudford. The order for sequestration was granted upon an act of bankruptcy committed on the 20th July last.

SPECIALS FOR PROOF.

Re William Bradley. One debt was proved, and the meeting terminated.

Re William Lodge. One debt was proved, and the meeting terminated.

SEQUESTRATION ORDERS.

John Boyd, of Mitchell, Sunny Corner, miner, on petition of debtor. Mr. L. T. Lloyd, official assignee.

Richard Redgate, of Albert-street, Forest Lodge, on petition of debtor. Mr. E. M. Stephen, official assignee.

METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COURT.—Friday.

(Before his Honor Mr. District Court Judge Wilkinson.)

JOSEPH V. BENJAMIN; AUSTRALIAN BANKING CO., CLAIMANTS.

Mr. Field (instructed by Mr. Emanuel) appeared for Messrs. Joseph and another, the execution creditors; Mr. Gibson (instructed by Mr. S. J. Bull) for the claimants. This was an interpleader case. It seems that Messrs. Joseph and Co., wholesale druggists, Sydney, obtained a judgment against one J. B. Benjamin, cordial manufacturer, Haymarket, and issued an execution. The goods were levied upon by an officer of the Court, who seized under the writ. The Australian Banking Company claimed all the goods levied upon under a lease or rent order from the claimants to Benjamin. The evidence appeared to show that Benjamin assigned all his interest in the cordial manufactory to a gentleman named Clarke, and he (Clarke) assigned his interest in Benjamin's goods to the Australian Banking Company, and then the Banking Company leased them to Benjamin. Mr. Field asked his Honor to nonsuit. This request was refused. After hearing argument, his Honor reserved his decision until Monday.

METROPOLITAN QUARTER SESSIONS.

Friday.

(Before his Honor Judge Dowling.)

Mr. G. H. Fitzhardinge appeared to prosecute on behalf of the Crown.

TRIAL POSTPONED.

Mr. Mark Williamson, who appeared on behalf of Ada Styles, Albert Besnard Styles, and Florence Louisa Kong, charged with stealing from the person, made an application that their trial might be postponed, to enable them to obtain sufficient means to conduct their defence. The accused have been already on trial at the sessions, but the jury were unable to agree to a verdict in the case. His Honor consented to postpone the rehearing of the case until the next sittings of the Court, the accused in the meantime being admitted to bail, each in a personal recognisance of £40, and two sureties of £20.

ALLEGED LARCENY.

Margaret Anderson, on bail, was charged with stealing the sum of £31 from William Purse, on the night of the 9th July last. Prisoner, who was defended by Mr. Fitzgerald, pleaded "not guilty" to the charge. The evidence for the prosecution was to the effect that on the evening in question prosecutor visited the accused's house, he having at the time six £10 notes in his possession. He subsequently changed one of the notes in payment for some beer that he purchased. Some time after entering the house prosecutor missed the amount of £31 from his inside coat-pocket, and, believing that he had been robbed, gave information to the police; and, on a constable searching the bedroom in which prisoner was found sleeping, one £10 note was found among the bedclothes, and two notes of the value of £10 each and a £1 note were discovered lying at the bottom of a vessel. In reply to an interrogation made by his Honor, the prosecutor stated that he became acquainted with the accused through the medium of an advertisement, in which she solicited a money loan, and he had occasion to visit her house, in fulfilment of an appointment, to lend her a certain amount of cash, provided she tendered him sufficient security. Accused made a lengthy statement, in which she denied that the prosecutor had expressed a desire to possess security for the loan of his money. She also declared that that the man must have mislaid the money himself. Mr. Fitzgerald briefly addressed the jury in defence of the accused, after which the jury returned a verdict of "not guilty," and the prisoner was discharged.

ALLEGED LARCENY.

A Chinaman named Ah Gun was arraigned on two counts of an indictment charging him with stealing and with receiving, on the 25th of last May, one ring, one watch-chain, a locket, a sovereign-holder, a pipe, a purse, and 11s. in cash, valued in all at £5, the property of one War Sue. The taking of evidence was begun, but one witness, the pawnbroker with whom the goods were pledged, failed to identify the accused as the man who pawned the articles alleged to have been stolen, consequently the case for the prosecution broke down. His Honor directed the jury to find a verdict of not guilty, which they accordingly did, and the accused was discharged.

UTTERING COUNTERFEIT COIN.

A young man named Charles Williams appeared to answer an indictment charging him with having, on the 18th of May last, offered to one Jessie Muirhead a piece of counterfeit coin resembling a sovereign, he knowing the same to be a counterfeit; also, with having at the same time in his possession six other pieces of counterfeit coin of a similar denomination. Accused, who was defended by Mr. Wallace, entered a plea of not guilty. According to the evidence, it was shown that on the abovementioned date the prisoner visited Pfahlert's Hotel, Wynyard Square, and in payment for liquor supplied him tendered a piece of coin which was described by the bar attendant to be spurious, and on his attention being drawn to that fact he recovered the coin and paid for his purchase in the usual way. A gentleman named Wren, who happened to be in the bar at the time, and who had witnessed the occurrence, watched the prisoner's subsequent movements, and saw him proceed to Uhde's Grand Hotel, where he succeeded in passing a counterfeit sovereign upon the waitress, who handed him 19s. 6d. in change. Wren by this time had acquainted the hall-porter of the scheme practised by the accused, who on leaving the hotel was cleverly captured by Senior-constable Boyd, of Balmain. After being arrested he was placed in a cab, to be conveyed to the police station; but, during a temporary stoppage of the vehicle in George-street, he sprang from it and ran along George-street. He was closely pursued, and recaptured, and when searched six jubilee shillings, gilded over so as to represent sovereigns, were found in his possession. For the defence, it was contended that the accused had received the money from a bookmaker in settlement of a betting transaction, and that he was not aware of its being counterfeit. The jury, after a brief deliberation, brought in a verdict of guilty, with a recommendation to mercy on account of the previous good character of the prisoner. He was sentenced to two years' imprisonment with hard labour, in Goulburn Gaol. At the request of the jury, his Honor complimented Mr. Wren for the steps he had taken to bring the accused to justice, for which action he deserved the thanks of the community.

CASE WITHDRAWN.

The case in which James Wild and William Wild were charged with larceny and receiving was, at the instance of the Crown, not proceeded with, the charges being withdrawn.

REMAINING BUSINESS.

The only case set down for hearing on Monday is that of Alfred Arthur, charged with manslaughter.

Appeals against the decisions of magistrates in the following cases will be called on for hearing on Tuesday next, the 28th instant, viz.:—Police v. Ellen Irwin, Walter Smith alias Thompson, Johann Abraham, and Sut Yoke. The case of the Australian Gas Company v. Michael Austin Cleary will be taken on Wednesday next.

POLICE.

Mr. C. Delohery presided in the Charge Division at the Central Police Court yesterday. Louisa Pearson, 22, a married woman, for being drunk and disorderly in Goulburn-street, was fined 10s., or three days in gaol; and for using obscene language was further fined 20s., or seven days. James Kelly, 26, cabman, for being drunk in Market-street whilst in charge of a horse and cab, was fined 10s., or 20 days' imprisonment; and for the further offence of cruelly ill-treating a horse in Market-street was fined £3, or one month in gaol. William Johnson, on remand, for having a gold brooch in his possession supposed to have been stolen, was sent to gaol for one month, with hard labour. Peter Kavanagh, on remand, was ordered to be kept in gaol for one month, for having stolen 23 brass caps, value 23s., the property of S. Foster and Son. George H. Chapman, 42, labourer, charged with neglecting to obey an order of the court for the support of his wife, Amelia Jane, was ordered to be kept in gaol until he complies with the order. Mr. Benjamin Lee, D.S.M., presided in the Summons Division. Jane Hayward, for using insulting words was fined £1, or one month. Sarah Deaken, for riotous behaviour, was fined £1, or seven days. James Murphy, for indecent language, was fined £1, or one month. William Dawson, for using profane language, was fined £1, or one month. Charles Fawcett, for selling liquor on Sunday, was fined £3 and costs. Henry Williams, for being found on Sunday leaving licensed premises with liquor in his possession, was fined £1, or 14 days. Ellen Irvine, for being drunk and disorderly, was fined 20s., or seven days. Thomas Johnson, for careless driving, was fined 20s., or one month.

Mr. G. W. F. Addison, S.M., disposed of the business in the Charge Division at the Water Police Court, and Mr. A. M. Fisher, S.M., presided in the Summons Division. Mary Lawson, 46, no occupation, charged with having insufficient visible lawful means of support, was ordered to be kept in gaol for 14 days with hard labour. Thomas Hunter, who appeared in answer to a charge of having stolen a chair, value 5s., from the Scots Church, Jamieson-street, was sentenced to six months' imprisonment with hard labour. It was stated that there were no less than 42 previous convictions against the accused. William Vaughan, labourer, was charged under a warrant with having been found in company with another in the enclosed yard of Michael O'Brien, residing in Griffiths-street, and for an unlawful purpose; to wit, to assist a prisoner to escape. The accused was sent to gaol for two months, with hard labour. Peter Olsen, barman at the Steam Packet Hotel, was sentenced to 14 days' imprisonment with hard labour on a charge of having stolen the sum of 18s. 9d., the property of Bernard M'Elroy. Henry Hudson, on remand, charged with breaking and entering the shop of Henry Benjamin, pawnbroker, No. 24, King-street, and stealing therefrom a number of watches and a quantity of jewellery, value in all £500, on the 7th of April last, was brought up again and remanded until next Wednesday. James or William Bell, 36, seaman, was charged with uttering a certain forged document, to wit, a telegraphic money order receipt. The accused was committed to take his trial at the Quarter Sessions, bail allowed. Jasper Holden, 63, on remand, was charged with having been found at night with a quantity of housebreaking implements in his possession without lawful excuse. He was committed to take his trial at the Quarter Sessions. The prisoner was also committed for trial on a charge of breaking and entering the dwelling-house of John Gormly, No. 57, Argyle-street, and stealing therein the sum of £11 4s., a purse, a gold albert, and a green stone, value in all at £15. It was said that the accused, who bore a bad character, is a well-known burglar. Martin M'Hale, a licensed cabman, for loitering with his cab in King-street, was fined £3 and costs, with the alternative of two months' imprisonment; and for refusing to comply with the lawful order of an officer of the M. T. C. to go on the cab-rank and take his chance of a fare with other cabmen, he was fined a further sum of £3, or an additional two months' confinement. Four other charges against the accused were withdrawn.

Mr. Marsh, S.M., dealt with the business of the Balmain Police Court. John Lisk, for driving over the footpath, was fined 10s. or 48 hours. For being drunk and disorderly, Emily Richards was fined 10s. or 48 hours. David Wilson was fined 10s. for being drunk.

A BANKRUPT IN TROUBLE.

At the Water Police Court, yesterday, before Mr. Addison, a man named William Goward, on remand, was charged by warrant with having disposed of certain goods, to wit, boots, by public auction after his estate was duly sequestrated. Dr. Sly appeared to prosecute. The accused was defended by Mr. T. Slattery. The arrest of the accused was proved by Detective Hinds. A *Gazette* notice of the sequestration of Goward's estate on the 14th August was produced as evidence, and procedure in insolvency proved. Archibald Chisholm, clerk in bankruptcy, produced accused's schedule and petition showing the amounts due to different creditors—M'Murtrie and Co., £358 17s. 11d.; Enoch Taylor and Co., £954 3s. 8d.; Turner Brothers, £297 7s. 8d.; assets, or total value of stock-in-trade, £10. Alfred Lee, of the firm of Enoch Taylor and Co., in whose name the information was laid, said the accused had shops at Waverley and in Sydney; he had purchased large quantities of boots and shoes from the firm on credit, and had sold them, not in the ordinary way of business, but by public auction. Accused had had considerable business transactions with his firm. It was ascertained that he had been selling stock at auction below trade value. Evidence proving the auction sales having been given, the case was adjourned until Friday next.

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Two blocks of land, as follows:—About 2 acres, having 412ft. frontage to Lower M'Laren-street, 182ft. to lane on the west, and 428½ft. to lane on the south. On it are erected HENBURY and AMY COTTAGES, of stone, with verandahs in front, and containing respectively, 4 rooms, 2 attic rooms, and detached weatherboard kitchen, and adjoining room, and wash-shed and 5 rooms, kitchen, weatherboard bedroom and pantry, small shed.

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GOSFORD.—Lots 6 and 7 of Section 14 East Gosford, part of Peek's subdivision, 2 chains, frontage to each VICTORIA and BROUGHAM STREETS.
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The above, Gosford, Fitzroy, and Hastings. (2307)

BY ORDER OF EXECUTOR.

LOT 1—DARLINGTON.—COTTAGE, No. 43, ALMA-STREET, of brick, containing 2 rooms and kitchen. The land has 13ft. frontage to Alma-street, depth 57ft.

LOT 2—GOLDEN GROVE ESTATE.—ALLOTMENT, No. 3, sec. 35, having 20ft. to GOLDEN GROVE-STREET, depth 105ft., extending to a lane.
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The above first-class suburban home, only a few minutes run from city. It was built by former owner for his own use, therefore substantial, well finished, and fitted with conveniences.

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BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

GIPPS-STREET,
PADDINGTON,
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1st.—TWO HOUSES, Nos. 14 and 14½, Gipps-street, of brick, cemented, on stone foundations, each containing 4 rooms, weatherboard kitchen and balcony at rear; land, 20ft. by 42ft. 8in.

2nd.—Corner HOUSE, No. 21, Gipps-street, of brick, cemented, on stone foundation, with verandah and balcony in front, and containing 3 rooms and kitchen.

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The above small freehold properties on Paddington Heights, handy to tram, at the Barracks.
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and recommended to parents and guardians of children; also to speculators.
If £5 be put away now, and funded at 5 per cent. interest it will total over £360 at end of term.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 31st August, at 11 o'clock.
The above small and sure investment.

By Order of the Curator of Intestate Estates.
NORTH KINGSTON, NEWTOWN.
COTTAGE, No. 168, DENISON-STREET (west side), a few yards south of Eton-street, built of brick, with verandah in front, and containing 4 rooms and outhouses.
The Land has 33 feet Frontage with a depth of about 80 feet.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 31st August, at 11 o'clock,
The above cottage and land, North Kingston, occupying an elevated position in this rapidly advancing part of Newtown.
Terms at sale. (2310)

DARLING-STREET,
BALMAIN.
Right on the Hill, with fine View of Harbour, &c.,
and quite Convenient to Ferries.
64ft. frontage by grand depth of 210ft.
On it are TWO Substantial STONE COTTAGES, Nos. 72 and 74, each sawn shingle roof, with verandah, hall, 5 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, washhouse; and hall, 5 rooms, with kitchen respectively.
Portion of the Frontage is vacant, and could be well and Profitably Utilised.
RECOMMENDED FOR INSPECTION
as an Excellent and Beautiful Situation.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 31st August, at 11 o'clock,
The above good property in Balmain. (2309)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE,
with the consent of the Official Assignee of the Bankrupt Estate of Mr. A. L. Park.

Near CAMPBELLTOWN.
10 Acres, part of J. King's 30-acre grant, district of Aird, county of Cumberland.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 31st August, at 11 o'clock,
The above, next Furber's farm, at the Sugar Loaf, about 2 miles from Campbelltown. (2329)

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

DERWENT-STREET, GLEBE.

ETHELVILLE, No. 51, DERWENT-STREET, occupied by Mrs. CARAHER.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 31st August, at 11 o'clock,
Leasehold block of land, lot 30 of section 3, Bishopthorpe Estate, having 40 feet frontage, with a depth of 120 feet, extending to a lane, on which is erected COTTAGE called ETHELVILLE, of brick on stone foundation, with verandah in front, and containing hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse, bathroom, pantry, and servant's room of wood.
A neat, substantial, and very desirable cottage, in an elevated and handy part of the Glebe.
TERM, about 79 years to run; ground rent, £8 3s 6d per annum.

BARDWELL PARK, ARNCLIFFE.

SUITABLE FOR POULTRY FARM,
being of large area, having constant water supply
and splendid soil on part.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 31st August, at 11 o'clock.
Block of over 7 acres, being lots 11 to 20, sec. K, having a large frontage to the Glen-road, at corner of Pile-street, and extending back to Bardwell Creek.

. This land is about three-fourths of a mile from Arncliffe station, and a little beyond Messrs. Gibbons and Judd's residences.

PLAN ON VIEW. (2326)

RARE OPPORTUNITY.

VERY LARGE POSSIBILITIES OF PROFIT.

To an enterprising Speculator, Professional Man, or Company, for Concerts, Balls, Assemblies, Meetings, Musical Societies, Teaching purposes, Church, Lecture Hall, &c.

PROFESSOR WEST'S DANCING ACADEMY,

Castlereagh-street, near Bathurst-street, opposite Protestant Hall. Through over patronage and overwork (teaching at 30 schools), besides managing academy, his health compels him to give up part of his work.

The Academy is well-known all over the Australian colonies as being the largest, loftiest, best ventilated, and most elegantly appointed in Australia; was specially built by owner over four years ago, with all latest improvements, and can, by proper management, be rented every day for amusements, &c.

The ballroom is 80ft. long, by nearly 40ft. wide, and can be lengthened 30ft. without expense. It is beautifully decorated with mirrors, statuary, and works of art, &c.

The Academy consists of 14 apartments. The private suite of rooms upstairs can readily be rented to Doctors, Dentists, Teachers, &c. The position is very central and very easy of access; locality wonderfully improving. The Academy is returning, with only partial use, over 15 per cent. clear of expenses, and as teaching and not renting was first consideration with Professor West, a suitable caterer, &c., can readily and promptly more than double the per centage.

TITLE, LEASEHOLD, nearly 17 years to run. Rental £156, and graduating to £260 per year.

Inventory of Apartments, &c., viewed only at offices of Auctioneers, where inspection cards may be had.
. The hall has also always been rented on Sundays for church purposes.

Fullest investigation solicited.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock.
The above-described city leasehold property. (2253)

SPLENDID CITY PROPERTIES,
viz:—
(1) KING and SUSSEX STREETS
(2) CASTLEREAGH-STREET, South of Market-street
(3) MARLBOROUGH-STREET, SURRY HILLS.

ESTATE of late WILLIAM HOLT, Esq.

1.—KING AND SUSSEX STREETS,
70 feet to the former, south side, extending along Sussex-street to a passage. On it are four premises, occupied by
CITY BANK, WESTERN BRANCH,
GOVERNMENT POST and TELEGRAPH OFFICE,
low rentals, £600 per annum net, created under old lease. This is an already vital commercial part of our city, and every year witnesses a marked development in the importance and value of the position, so close to the very heart of the financial and business centre, and the active and enlarging shipping interests at the many extensive wharves close by. The expected railway route must very largely enhance this
SUPERIOR CORNER BLOCK.

2.—CASTLEREAGH-STREET,
west side, north of Park-street.
Grand Block of Land, 52 feet frontage, by the exceptional depth of 189 feet. On it is KERRIDGE'S COACH FACTORY, with a short time yet to run to conclude a very old lease. The building is not in keeping with the locality, and good use to be made of the land. This street, it is confidently predicted, will within the next few years manifest an altered aspect in the character of buildings and extent of stirring business.

3.—MARLBOROUGH-STREET, SURRY HILLS,
Corner of Miles-street, near Devonshire-street; corner land, on which is a two-storied residence of brick; a reduced rental of £1 per week. Land 20 feet x 84 feet back to a lane at rear.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions as above to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 7th September, at 11 o'clock,
The above valuable city properties, strongly recommended to the notice of trustees, capitalists, and speculators, the various positions giving warrant of reward to those who may become the fortunate purchasers. (2276)

TO CLOSE ACCOUNTS.

RILEY STREET, SURRY HILLS.

BLOCK of LAND, having 40 FEET frontage to the east side of RILEY-STREET, commencing 40 feet south from Albion-street, depth 90 feet, on which are erected THREE DWELLINGS, full particulars of which will shortly be published.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 7th September, at 11 o'clock,
The above well-situated property on Surry Hills Heights. (2321)

ON ACCOUNT AND RISK OF FORMER PURCHASER.

BONDI,
handy to Tram, Park, Beach, and Aquarium.

BEATRICE, a most faithfully-erected, remarkably well-finished, attractive, and very desirable detached COTTAGE RESIDENCE, with good area of grounds, in OCEAN-STREET, a little north of tram line.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 7th September, at 11 o'clock,
The above commodious and well-arranged family dwelling, with stabling, &c.

Full particulars in future advertisement.
For particulars of title apply to G. F. R. Burcher, Esq., solicitor, Elizabeth-street. (2322)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

SOUTH ANNANDALE ESTATE, STANMORE.

ELEVATED and LEVEL BLOCK of BUILDING LAND, Nos. 7 to 10 of Sec. C of this celebrated Estate, on the high ground, a little north of Stanmore Railway Station. It has 80ft. frontage to DOUGLAS-STREET, opposite Stanley-street, with a depth of 120ft. extending to a lane.
. A beautiful position, commanding wide and pretty views.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 7th September, at 11 o'clock,
The above choice building land, at Stanmore.
Title, Torrens' Act. Plan on view.
Messrs. JONES and JONES, Pitt-street, are Solicitors of Mortgagee. (2324)

GEM COTTAGE RESIDENCE.

A quiet elevated SITE, opposite UNIVERSITY, away from the bustle of the Road, fronting ARUNDEL-TERRACE and CATHERINE-STREET,
LYNNWOOD.
Is remarkably well-built of brick on massive stone foundation, slate roof, has wide verandahs front and rear, 8 rooms, pantries, bathroom, 2 kitchens, laundry, cellarette; excellent stabling—viz., 2 stalls, room for 2 traps, having man's room, and loft over; detached large shed, manure pit, &c. Yard is in part asphalted and stone-flagged. Garden plot at front and side, also border trees.
The place is in tiptop order, and beautifully situated on the height. It was built in the best manner, and finished in good style throughout. The ground floor rooms are 12ft. high, and if desired the house could be enlarged at one side by forming a pretty wing.
It is recommended to those seeking a faithfully-erected and comfortable Residence, almost in the city, and enjoying a captivating view.
Owner is selling only because of removal out of town.
TITLE is Leasehold, 78 years yet to run, at the merely nominal Ground Rental of £12 2s 6d per annum.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street,
on FRIDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER,
at 11 o'clock.
The above. Inspection invited by cards to view obtainable at the Rooms of Auctioneers.
TERMS AT SALE. (2327)

Estate of late Robert Milson, Esq.

CHARMING ISLAND HOME
and rich soil on
FAMOUS HAWKESBURY RIVER.
It is viewable, and an easy distance, from
PEATS FERRY RAILWAY STATION,
by which quick, certain, and pleasant travelling is established daily with the Metropolis.
To the RETIRED CAPITALIST
CITY MERCHANT, PROFESSIONAL MAN
or YACHTSMEN,
SPECULATORS, and OTHERS,
this is an opportunity of acquiring an almost
UNIQUE PURCHASE (ISLAND).
It is known as MUD ISLAND, apparently not an appropriate name, for it is high, rising gently from the broad sheet of water at this place up to a ridge running almost from end to end.
It could be profitably cultivated for ORANGERY or ORCHARD apart from being used for the delights of a capital home-or
SUBDIVIDED to SELL TO PROFIT.
The area is 76 ACRES, with Water Frontage all round, and the situation is one of the most picturesque among the many noted spots on this world-renowned and almost matchless River. Here there is a spacious get away for the fresh waters, and therefore the drawback of flat localities is not realised here.
The HOMESTEAD is very well located, and commands views up and down the river, and also of the South Channel. It contains verandah, hall, 8 rooms, detached kitchen, and dining-room. There are two small slab dwellings not far off, each 2 rooms, cowshed, boatshed, and loft over, excellent wharf.
STEAMER PASSES FREQUENTLY.

ALSO,
THREE GRANTS OF LAND,
facing the South Channel waters of the river, and one extends up to the point opposite the aforesaid island. The respective areas are—
40 ACRES }
40 ACRES } adjoining each other.
71½ ACRES }
These all have attractive situations, level, close to the water, and extending back to a great altitude.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on
FRIDAY, September 14,
at 11 o'clock.
The above, with enchanting surroundings.

PLANS on VIEW at the ROOMS.

TORRENS' TITLE. Messrs. John Dawson and Son are solicitors for the Estate. (2328)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

DRUMMOYNE, PARRAMATTA RIVER.

Well finished and faithfully built RESIDENCE, with over 1 ACRE of LAND, having extensive frontages to LYONS-ROAD and NAPIER-STREET, only five minutes' walk from ferry pier. It is known as Mr. Cummings's property, and will be offered in one or three lots.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 7th September, at 11 o'clock,
The above charmingly situated house and grounds, in an attractive and highly improving part of this far-famed river. Full particulars in future issue.
TITLE, TORRENS' ACT.

Messrs. FISHER, RALFE, and SALWEY are Solicitors of the mortgagee. (2323)

To Building Societies, Syndicates, and Speculators, or those requiring a Mansion Site.

SPLENDID SUBDIVISION or MANSION BLOCK
of nearly
THREE ACRES IN EXTENT.

THE PICKED POSITION IN WAVERLEY,
having uninterrupted ocean views,
sheltered spot, and good soil.
Large frontages. Easy access, being handy to tram terminus.
Adjoining and surrounded by first-class residences.

. This magnificent block has extensive frontages to Nelson Bay-road and Gibbs-street. It is planted with trees.
On it is an ORNAMENTAL GOTHIC LODGE, containing 6 rooms; tennis court, rosery, orchard, &c.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 14th September, at 11 o'clock,
The above. (2330)

COMMENCEMENT SALE.

IN THE ESTATE of the late WILLIAM LAWSON, Jun., Esq.

BY ORDER of the TRUSTEES { J. R. STREET, Esq, and J. C. TAYLOR, Esq.

VALUABLE COUNTRY LANDS
at

EMU PLAINS—87 acres, a choice agricultural farm, tenanted by Mr. T. Player. It is both sides of railway line.
SPRINGWOOD.—The charm spot on the Blue Mountains. The WELL-KNOWN grant of William Lawson,
640 ACRES,
capable of profitable uses or for cutting up into orchard and villa areas.
HARTLEY.—320 acres Grant, fronting main BATHURST-ROAD, and adjoining the town area.
COOLAH.—OLD COOLAH PROPERTY, lying along the COOLAHBURRAGUNDY RIVER, to which it has a frontage of 6 miles on the west bank and 1½ mile on the other bank, containing an area of about
9950 ACRES
of richly grassed land, 3000 acres of which have been ring-barked, and the timber is now all dead.
The whole estate is securely enclosed, as regards the outside boundaries, by some 25 miles of substantial sheep-proof split fencing, chiefly six-wired, and subdivided by about 12 miles of the same class of fencing into the following paddocks, viz.,
No. 1, about 800 acres
Nos. 2 and 3 together, about 4000 acres
No. 4, 2000 acres
No. 5, 1100 acres
No. 6, 2000 acres.
The improvements comprise a STONE HOUSE, containing verandah, 4 large and 2 small rooms, kitchen, store, bath, and 2 other rooms.
Good paling yards for sheep-drafting, &c.
THIS IS A NOTED ESTATE FOR RICH SOIL.

MEADOW LEE, near RYDAL. 320 ACRES on Bathurst and Rydal roads, occupied by Mr. Moore, only a short distance from the town.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH (in conjunction with Messrs. HARDIE and GORMAN) have been favoured with instructions from the above-named Trustees of the late William Lawson, jun., Esq., to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on FRIDAY, the 5th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above various valuable properties, plans of which will be on view and further information afforded at the Rooms of the Auctioneers.

TERMS LIBERAL, viz., 20 per cent. deposit, balance by instalments at 2, 3, 4, and 5 years, at 5 per cent. interest per annum.

TITLES unquestionable. Particulars from Messrs. NORTON and CO., O'Connell-street, Sydney. (2120)

POSTPONED TILL OCTOBER.

To MERCHANTS, WOOLBROKERS, CAPITALISTS, and OTHERS.

PITT-STREET NORTH, CIRCULAR QUAY.

THAT EXCEEDINGLY VALUABLE, EXTENSIVE,
and CENTRALLY-SITUATED
BLOCK of LAND
in
QUEEN'S-PLACE,
a few feet west of
PITT-STREET,
and north of
BRIDGE-STREET,
together with the
12 COTTAGES THEREON.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 26th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock.
All that piece of land, having the following frontages:—
90 feet 6 inches to QUEEN'S-PLACE
79 feet to SIDE LANE
on which are TWELVE SMALL COTTAGES.

This is a centrally-situated block of land in the VERY HEART of the COMMERCIAL PORTION of the CITY, a few yards from PITT-STREET NORTH and the EXCHANGE, and close to the CIRCULAR QUAY, GEORGE-STREET, the BANKS, and the PRINCIPAL CITY BUSINESS Establishments.

It is now one of the very few pieces of land with EXTENSIVE FRONTAGE to be obtained in this IMPORTANT VALUABLE LOCALITY, admirably adapted for what is undoubtedly the best description of premises to hold for PERMANENT INVESTMENT,
COMMERCIAL STORES and OFFICES.

The high prices obtained for various properties recently, all of which are only a few yards from the property now offered, stamp the commercial value of this position, and the estimation in which it is held by all the mercantile community and capitalists.

If not required for immediate use for building purposes, the cottages on the land will yield, to a certain extent, an interim return.

Plan on view at the Rooms, Terms liberal. (2281)

TO MINING SPECULATORS,
SYNDICATES, and OTHERS.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

By order of the Proprietor, R. HARGRAVE, Esq.

ELEVEN LOTS of FREEHOLD LAND,
varying in area from
7 to 26½ acres.

Situated at HILLGROVE,
about
25 miles from the CITY of ARMIDALE, by the GRAFTON-ROAD.

These parcels of land are situated on the tableland immediately adjoining the great falls into the gulch through which winds BAKER'S CREEK, on both sides of which, reaching from water level to the tableland about 1500ft. above, have been discovered several of the most remarkable gold-bearing reefs yet found, and which are only waiting machinery to make HILLGROVE rank as one of the richest goldfields in the COLONY of NEW SOUTH WALES.
The land to be offered for auction is situated on the same plateau, and only a short distance from the noted ELEANORA MINE, now proved to contain both antimony and gold, while the stone of many surrounding leases has given extraordinary assay results for gold per ton from specimens of outcrop only.
The Proprietor does not pretend to be an expert in mining, or to be acquainted with gold-bearing rocks, and, consequently, he declines to express an opinion as to whether the land proposed to be offered for sale is auriferous or not. As to antimony, its presence is too evident to be questioned, and from No. 2 of the blocks a mine of that metal has been opened and worked, and large quantities sent to England for sale.

In order that MINERS, SPECULATORS, and others may have an opportunity of judging for themselves of the mineral wealth of the lands to be offered for sale, the proprietor has sanctioned the issue of leases, by way of permits, at a nominal rental for the months AUGUST, SEPTEMBER, and OCTOBER, 1888, by virtue of which persons holding them will be authorised to prospect the land, by shaft or otherwise, as they may think fit, so as to determine for themselves the prices per acre at which they may feel satisfied on bidding for each block of land.

TITLES UNDER REAL PROPERTY ACT.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the proprietor, RICHARD HARGRAVE, Esq., to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on MONDAY, the 5th day of NOVEMBER, 1888,
at 11 o'clock,
Eleven freehold blocks of acknowledged mineral land, subject to the conditions mentioned above.

TERMS—
25 per cent. CASH, by way of DEPOSIT at time of sale,
and
balance in cash on completion of the transfer.

PLAN on view at the Rooms, Pitt-street, where copies in LITHOGRAPH may also be obtained; as well as from Mr. HARGRAVE, at ARMIDALE; and Mr. HARGRAVE, Jun., at HILLGROVE.

PROSPECTING LEASES or PERMITS may also be obtained at the Rooms of the Auctioneers; or from Messrs. HARGRAVE, sen. and jun., at the addresses abovementioned. (2271)

FOR ABSOLUTE SALE,
That Well-known Woolwashing and Fellmongering Establishment,
QUARTRE-BRAS,
just off the BOTANY-ROAD, with its ample and complete
PLANT OF MACHINERY,
in perfect working order.

QUARTRE-BRAS is situated a few minutes' walk from the Botany-road, close to the site of the old Tollbar. The area of the Land is about 18 Acres, with an unlimited supply of water for present business or any other manufacturing purpose.

The Title is Leasehold (part of the Cooper Estate), having about 6½ years yet to run, at the following rentals, viz.:—
£250 per annum till 1st January, 1890; and
£450 per annum thereafter till termination of lease in 1895.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on an early date, of which due notice will be given, the above-named
WOOLWASHING and FELLMONGERING WORKS,
with extensive plant of machinery, an inventory of which may be inspected at the Rooms of the Auctioneers, where further information concerning the property may be obtained.

TERMS AT SALE. (2246)

CITY FREEHOLDS,
and the Marine Mansion
CARRARA, ROSE BAY.

For Absolute Sale.

By Order of the Trustees of the Will of the late Hon. Henry Moore, M.L.C.

The following Valuable Properties, in four lots,
viz.—
LOT 1.—MOORE'S WHARF and STORES, MILLER'S POINT.
LOT 2.—STORES and Land fronting CRESCENT-ROAD, MILLER'S POINT.
LOT 3.—VICTORIA LODGE, VICTORIA-STREET, MILLER'S POINT.
LOT 4.—CARRARA, a grand residence, with 23 ACRES of LAND, situated on the VAUCLUSE-ROAD, ROSE BAY.

Titles unquestionable. Reference may be made to Messrs. HOLDSWORTH and EVANS, of Pitt-street, Solicitors to the Estate.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the Trustees of the Estate abovementioned to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, on an early day in October, of which due notice will be given.
The above important freehold properties, of which the following are bare outlines of their particulars:—
LOT 1, MOORE'S WHARF,
MILLER'S POINT.

This well-known extensive waterside property is approached by a wide road of easy gradient, known as Moore's-road from ARGYLE-STREET, MILLER'S POINT; and contains an area of land within its boundaries of about 1 acre 1 rood and 15 perches, as well as an additional area of 2 roods and 30 perches by wharf frontage and jetties, making the total area of the property
2 ACRES and 5 PERCHES,
or 88,483 square feet.

The water frontage may be classed as undermentioned, viz.:—
Substantial wharf platform 180ft. long.
Two Jetties of the following dimensions, viz.:—
No. 1 has berth accommodation of 352ft. 6in. long on its eastern side, and 182 on its western side
No. 2 has 183ft. 6in. long on its eastern side, and 156ft. on its western side.
These frontages give berth room for 3 large vessels to be loaded or discharged at the same time, while there is also ample space for lighter or smaller vessels to lie alongside them.

The jetties are of the most substantial description, their width varying from 40 to 25 feet. They are comparatively new, having been erected only a few years. Forming the south boundary of the property is a range of
FOUR STRONGLY BUILT STONE STORES
of three floors each, having an estimated carrying capacity of 5500 tons. The stores can be worked either together or singly from the front, and also from Crescent-road running at the back of them. They are divided one from the other by fire-proof doors, this giving an advantage for insurance rates.

Adjoining this range of stores are the offices containing two apartments, while on the eastern side of the property is another range of stores and wooden sheds.
On the wharf there is a long range of wooden buildings, containing manager and storekeeper's residence, sheds for merchandise, &c., the rest of the property is open space.
As a whole property it is compact and easy to work, its access is unsurpassed by any of the neighbouring wharfs, or by any others lining Darling Harbour, and its access and get away for shipping is all that can be desired.
The depth of water alongside is equal to floating the largest merchant steamer trading to Port Jackson.

This property, so far as wharfage rates are concerned, is in agreement with the Wharf Association, full information of which relating to this particular wharf may be obtained from the Auctioneers.

LOT 2. BLOCK of LAND fronting CRESCENT-ROAD, immediately at the back of MOORE'S WHARF and STORES. It has a frontage of about 235 feet, by a depth of about 35 feet. On it are some old-fashioned 2-story stone stores, &c. The rest of the land, about 116 feet frontage, is vacant.

LOT 3. VICTORIA LODGE, VICTORIA-STREET, MILLER'S POINT.
BLOCK of LAND, having about the following frontages:—97 feet to VICTORIA-STREET, extending by a depth of about 91 feet to MERRIMAN-STREET, to which it has also a frontage of 100 feet. On it is VICTORIA LODGE, an old-fashioned but substantially-built cottage residence, commanding a most extensive view of the harbour and the heights of North Shore. It is built of stone, with slate roof, and has a verandah on two sides; it contains hall, nine apartments, and has bathroom, &c., in a wooden addition to the verandah. On the Merriman-street portion of the property is a range of stone buildings, containing kitchen, laundry, and other outbuildings; stable and coachhouse, &c., with rooms over.
This property is now under lease for a period of 5 years, at a net rental of £200 per annum.

FREEHOLD ESTATE.
LOT 4. CARRARA MANSION and GROUNDS,
ROSE BAY.
This beautiful property is situated about 5 miles from Sydney by the NEW SOUTH HEAD-ROAD, and the VAUCLUSE-ROAD leading to its neighbour, the noted VAUCLUSE ESTATE. To this latter road it has over a quarter of a mile of frontage, while its northern boundary rests on high water mark of the waters of ROSE BAY, including the charming silver-sand beach known as
MILK BEACH.

The land contains an area of 23 acres, more or less, in two blocks, viz., 13½ acres, with CARRARA HOUSE, and 9½ acres lying between it and the creek forming the boundary of Mr. Hunt's property.
The land surrounding CARRARA MANSION is approached by a Carriage Drive through Handsome Iron Gates, with Lodge on north side. The land surrounding is highly cultivated, and is laid out as shrubberies, flower and vegetable gardens, paddocks, &c., the rest of the land being still in its picturesque natural state and admirably adapted for sites for numerous VILLA RESIDENCES, without interfering with the privacy of CARRARA HOUSE and grounds.
CARRARA is built of cut stone, with slated roof, and is finished off all through with the best description of cedar and workmanship.
Its accommodation is as follows, viz.:—
On the ground floor—
A large wide stone hall runs through the whole length of the house, and the rooms right and left consist of dining-room, a handsome suite of 3 apartments forming the drawing-room, library, storeroom (fitted), and pantry.
On the first floor are—
Seven bedrooms and linen cupboard.
And on the upper floor—
Three bedrooms.
The two wings include on the ground floor—
Kitchen, servants' hall, scullery, larders, with wood and coal house; laundry, ironing-room, and boot room, with 5 servants' rooms over; under the house are two large dry cellars.

The stables, also built of stone, contain 5 large stalls, 2 coach-houses, harness-room, with loft and bedrooms over. The other improvements comprise fowlyard and house, tool sheds, &c.
. This charming Marine Estate cannot be described at length in the limits of an advertisement. Suffice it to say that the house, with its surroundings, its bold water frontages, and silver-like sand of Milk Beach, the whole of which lies within its boundaries, cannot be surpassed, if equalled, by any other residence around Sydney; and that to appreciate it fully an inspection is invited, for which purpose cards to view will be issued to intending purchasers on application to the auctioneers.

PLANS on view at the Rooms.

TERMS AT SALE. (2311)

GRAND SPECULATION
or
WELL-PAYING INVESTMENT.

HUNTER and CASTLEREAGH STREETS,
the best corner block in the market.
For Auction Sale under the Provisions of
SETTLED ESTATES ACT.

30 YEARS' LEASE
with moderate building covenant.

TO CLUBS, HOTELKEEPERS,
SOLICITORS, and OTHERS,
no better chance can be offered to secure a
CENTRAL POSITION
of unusual value and area of land.
On it is
BOWDEN'S CLUB HOTEL.
Land is
63½ feet to HUNTER-STREET,
92½ feet to CASTLEREAGH-STREET.
Tenancy will expire in January next.

AUCTION SALE
Early in October, 1888.
Full particulars in future issues.
(2165) RICHARDSON AND WRENCH.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

ENMORE-ROAD, NEWTOWN.

That VALUABLE CORNER BLOCK of PREMISES, ENMORE-ROAD and STATION-STREET, full particulars of which will appear in a future advertisement.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on an early date, due notice of which will be announced,
The above corner business property at Newtown.
Messrs. BRADLEY and SON, Margaret-street, are Solicitors of the Mortgagee. (2267)

By order of the Trustees
Of the Will of the late Wm. Hutchinson, Esq.

For Lease for a period of 21 years.

That very extensive
BLOCK OF CITY LAND
situated at the corner of PITT and CAMPBELL STREETS, opposite the BELMORE MARKETS, together with the Premises thereon, including the Agricultural Hotel and other buildings.
Lease to date from 2nd October, 1888.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the Trustees abovementioned to offer for sale, by public auction, about the month of September next,
The right to obtain a Lease—at the rate per annum as may be accepted at auction—for the term of 21 years, of that very large Block of Land situated at the corner of Pitt and Campbell streets, together with the buildings thereon.
The Lease will run from 2nd October next.

This valuable block of land contains an area of
2 roods and 16 perches,
and has the following frontages, viz.:—
172ft. 8½in. to Pitt-street, and
141ft. 9in. to Campbell-street
the northern and eastern boundaries being about 146ft. and 196ft. respectively, each having access to rights-of-way 10ft. wide, which extend along about two-thirds of each boundary line.
The premises consist of
The Agricultural Hotel, at the corner of Pitt and Campbell streets
A terrace of three dwelling-houses, Nos. 414, 416, and 418, Pitt-street; and
Two Dwellings, Nos. 26 and 28, Campbell-street.
A plan of the property is now open for inspection, at the rooms of the auctioneers, where all further information concerning the intended lease may be obtained. (2081)

CITY FREEHOLDS,
and the Maritime Mansion
CARRARA, ROSE BAY.

For Absolute Sale.

By Order of the Trustees of the Will of the late Hon. Henry Moore, M.L.C.

The following Valuable Properties, in 4 lots,
viz.—
LOT 1.—MOORE'S WHARF and STORES, MILLER'S POINT.
LOT 2.—STORES and Land fronting CRESCENT-ROAD, MILLER'S POINT.
LOT 3.—VICTORIA LODGE, VICTORIA-STREET, MILLER'S POINT.
LOT 4.—CARRARA, a grand residence, with 23 ACRES of LAND, situated on the VAUCLUSE-ROAD, ROSE BAY.

Titles unquestionable. References may be made to Messrs. HOLDSWORTH and EVANS, of Pitt-street, Solicitors to the Estate.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the Trustees of the Estate abovementioned to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on an early day in October, of which due notice will be given,
The above important and valuable freehold properties, full particulars of which were published in the Sydney Morning Herald of SATURDAY, the 18th instant. Any further information concerning them may be obtained at the Rooms of the Auctioneers, Pitt-street, Sydney, where plans may be inspected and cards to view Carrara obtained. (2311)

SALE POSTPONED TILL OCTOBER, 1888.

COUNTY OF ARGYLE.

TO CAPITALISTS, GRAZIERS, SPECULATORS, and others.

That well-known
GRAND AGRICULTURAL and GRAZING ESTATE,
TIRRANNA,
containing about 9570 acres of agricultural and grazing land, principally open plains or downs, and lightly timbered country.

TIRRANNA is situated about 4½ miles from the
CITY OF GOULBURN,
approached by a splendid road, and is surrounded by several high-class properties.
It will be offered for competition
IN 5 BLOCKS,
each portion being bounded by public roads, fences, or other descriptions of enclosure, including the original homestead, and all other improvements.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, in the month of OCTOBER NEXT, of which due notice will be given.

A plan of the estate showing the boundaries of the proposed five portions is now ready for inspection at the Rooms of the Auctioneers.
Title unquestionable. Full particulars may be obtained from Messrs. ABBOTT and DODDS, Castlereagh-street, Sydney, solicitors to the Estate.

Cards to view obtainable at Rooms of Auctioneers, Sydney, will afford an introduction to enable intending purchasers to thoroughly inspect these excellent properties.

N.B.—The day of sale will be advertised fully six weeks prior to the date fixed for the auction. (2009)

BY ORDER of the MASTER-IN-LUNACY.
BALMAIN.
CAPITAL BUILDING SITE, having about 33 FEET frontage to CAMBRIDGE-STREET (just off DARLING-STREET, short distance from WESTON-STREET), by about 107 FEET in depth, together with the SUBSTANTIAL 1-ROOMED W.B. BUILDING thereon, occupied by a Mrs. Ball, at 5s per week.
TITLE, FREEHOLD.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions from the MASTER-IN-LUNACY to sell the above by public auction, at their Rooms, 88, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 11th SEPTEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.

SOLICITOR for Vendor—M. E. A'BECKETT, Esq., from whom all particulars as to title may be obtained.
By order of the EXECUTORS in the Estate of — MACNAMARA, Deceased.

PETERSHAM—JENNET'S SUBDIVISION.

Lots 7 and 8, making a CAPITAL BLOCK 40 x 100, facing BRIGHTON-STREET, and bounded by a 20ft. LANE at rear, situate facing PETERSHAM PARK, and only about two minutes' walk from the railway station.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions to sell the above by public auction, at their Rooms, 88, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 11th September, at 11.30 a.m.
PLAN on view.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
WAVERLEY.
BOTANY-STREET, off BIRRELL-STREET, few yards from tram, and nearly opposite LLANDAFF, the residence of J. M. Newman, Esq.

LOT 1.—Substantial newly-erected Brick RESIDENCE, containing drawing, dining, and 4 bedrooms, kitchen, laundry (with copper, tubs, and sink), bathroom (with plunge and shower), pantry, verandah, balcony, electric bells, &c.; tiled hearths, gas and water. LAND, about 24 x 132.

LOT 2.—Valuable BLOCK of BUILDING LAND next above, having about 72ft. frontage to BOTANY-STREET and about 132ft. in depth. Title, FREEHOLD.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions FROM THE MORTGAGEE to sell the above desirable Properties by public auction, at their Rooms, 88, Pitt-street, TUESDAY, 11th September, at 11.30 a.m.

CARDS to inspect and all particulars on application to the Auctioneers.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have for SALE.

HOUSES and RESIDENCES.

DARLINGHURST.	First-class RESIDENCE and Land, occupying one of the CHOICEST POSITIONS on DARLINGHURST-ROAD. (I. 55)
PADDINGTON.	2 CONVENIENT well-built DWELLING-HOUSES, with EVERY CONVENIENCE. (I. 21)
REDFERN.	Comfortable HOUSES, each 4 rooms, kitchen, &c.; on easy terms, small deposit, balance as rent. (B. 450)

PRICES, Cards to view, &c., from
BATT, RODD, and PURVES.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have for SALE

STERLING INVESTMENTS.

CITY.	Pair of handsome substantial RESIDENCES, just off UPPER WILLIAM-STREET, producing £325 per an. (I. 54)
REDFERN.	TERRACE of 14 HOUSES, just off ELIZABETH-STREET, and close to the PARK. (B. 430)
ALEXANDRIA.	Several Capital TERRACES, close to the EVELEIGH WORKSHOPS, producing very HIGH RETURNS on the prices asked. (E. 155)
SURRY HILLS.	Capital TERRACE of 8 HOUSES, close to BOURKE-STREET, producing £375 8s per annum. (I. 14)

CARDS and all particulars from
BATT, RODD, and PURVES.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have for SALE.

CITY PROPERTIES.

GEORGE-STREET (off).	Valuable Block of STORES, situate just off GEORGE-STREET.
HARRIS-STREET.	Valuable Block, having extensive frontage to HARRIS-STREET, Darling Harbour, with street at rear. (B. 98)
CLARENCE-STREET.	2 Valuable WAREHOUSES, handy to the WHARVES and MAIN THOROUGHFARE. (F. 217)

Further particulars on application to
BATT, RODD, and PURVES.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have FOR SALE.

RESIDENTIAL SITES and BUILDING LOTS.

DOUBLE BAY.	Magnificent MANSION SITES, 290ft. deep, situate on the NEW SOUTH HEAD ROAD, and commanding lovely HARBOUR VIEWS. (I. 40)
ROSE BAY.	Splendid SITES, 450ft. deep, commanding delightful HARBOUR VIEWS. (I. 41)
WATERLOO.	CAPITAL LOTS ON THE ZETLAND ESTATE, close to TRAM, 16½ x 100, with lanes at rear. EASY TERMS. (E. 95)
DOUBLE BAY.	Valuable BLOCK, with extensive frontages to both EDGECLIFFE and SOUTH HEAD ROADS. (I. 53)
BURWOOD.	BUSINESS SITE, 50 x 123, close to TOWN HALL and STATION. (I. 55)
BOTANY.	Capital SITES on LORD'S ESTATE, facing the PARK, and good streets; £3 deposit, balance 20s per month, WITHOUT INTEREST. (E. 92)
PARRAMATTA.	GREEN'S ESTATE, valuable Farm and Orchard Blocks; also, TOWNSHIP LOTS, on easy terms. For positive sale, to close the ESTATE. (I. 9)

PLANS and Prices from
BATT, RODD, and PURVES.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have FOR SALE.

SUBDIVISION BLOCKS, FARMS, &c.

FERRY-ROAD.	Exceptionally valuable Block of WATER FRONTAGE, in area (including reclamation), 4a. 1r. 21p., possessing over 1500ft. of WATER and ROAD FRONTAGES. (I. 50.)
GOSFORD.	Splendid Water FRONTAGE BLOCK of 331 ACRES, having MAIN ROAD FRONTAGE. (E. 101)
MANLY.	Capital Subdivision BLOCK of 25 ACRES, possessing about 1460FT. frontage to PITTWATER-ROAD. (I. 49)
COOPER ESTATE.	Valuable BLOCKS at WOOLLAHRA, Rose Bay, DOUBLE BAY, &c., suitable for SUBDIVISION or RESIDENTIAL purposes.

PLANS and all particulars on application to
BATT, RODD and PURVES.

ORDER OF SALE

THURSDAY, 30th AUGUST.
MILLS AND PILE,
at their
SYDNEY AUCTION MART, 130, PITT-STREET,
at half-past 11 o'clock.

EDEN, Twofold Bay.	SEVEN TOWNSHIP Allotments in Macleay, Flinders, Bass, Mitchell, and Calle Calle streets.
SHARES.	Official assignee's interest in the Estate of Peter Beveridge, in and to sundry shares, as per advertisement.
LEICHHARDT. Day-street.	TEES COTTAGE, a neat residence, built of brick, 3 rooms, kitchen, &c., &c., Torrens' title.
ANNANDALE, Young street.	INVESTMENT PROPERTY—4 Brick Cottages, each 3 rooms, washhouse, &c., close to tram; rental, 9s per week each. Torrens' title.
ENMORE, Cowper-street.	5 SMALL BRICK COTTAGES and LAND, 66 x 190. Cottages each contain 3 rooms, washhouse, &c., and produce a rental of 9s 6d per week each.
PETERSHAM.	TWO SHOPS and DWELLINGS, brick on stone, on land about 196ft. to New Canterbury-road, and 24ft. to Krombit-street. BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.
WAVERLEY.	SHOP and DWELLING and PRIVATE HOUSE adjoining, built of brick on stone, producing 58s per week rental, situate at corner of Denison and Ebley streets, close to tram.
GLEBE POINT.	TWO SEMI-DETACHED VILLAS, known as 7 and 8 Glebe Villas, Glebe Point-road, now let at £100 per annum each.

FULL PARTICULARS AT THE ROOMS.

SALE BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

THURSDAY, 30th AUGUST.

TWO SHOPS AND DWELLINGS,
situate on
LAND having about 196½ft. frontage to the New Canterbury-road and 24ft. to Krombit-street.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, the 30th August, at 11.30,
TWO SHOPS and DWELLINGS, built of brick, iron roofs, 1 shop 26 x 19, hall, 3 rooms and kitchen, sheds at rear, and side entrance; 1 shop 18 x 17, hall, 2 rooms and kitchen, verandah at rear, spare land at side and rear.

TERMS, CASH. Torrens' title,
Joseph Thompson, solicitor, Pitt-street.

SMALL INVESTMENT PROPERTY.
Young-street, Annandale.

THURSDAY, 30th AUGUST.

FOUR WELL-BUILT BRICK COTTAGES.
Each containing 3 rooms, washhouse, &c.; only 3 minutes' walk from tram. The land has 50ft. frontage to Young-street, by a depth of 112ft. TORRENS' TITLE.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, the 30th August, at 11.30, the above
INVESTMENT PROPERTY, handy to city; rental 9s per week each.

COWPER-STREET, ENMORE.

THURSDAY, 30th AUGUST.

FIVE BRICK COTTAGES AND LARGE BLOCK LAND, situate in Cowper-street, to which the land has a frontage of 66ft. by the great depth of 190ft. to a lane at rear. Freehold title. THE COTTAGES are built of brick, iron roofs; each contains 3 rooms, washhouse, &c.; and are now producing a rental of 9s per week each.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 30th August, at 11.30, the above
FIVE COTTAGES,
land 66 x 190.

A GOOD INVESTMENT FOR A SMALL CAPITALIST.

EDEN, TWOFOLD BAY.

THURSDAY, 30th AUGUST.

SEVEN TOWNSHIP ALLOTMENTS,
situate in
FLINDERS, IMLAY, BASS, MITCHELL, and CALLE CALLE STREETS,
comprising from ¼ to ½ an acre each, one lot having water frontage.

TITLE—Direct from the Crown of five allotments; and two conveyance from original purchasers to Charles Cameron.
TERMS CASH.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions from CHARLES CAMERON, Esq., now of Auckland, New Zealand, to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, Sydney, on THURSDAY, 30th August, at 11.30,
All his right, title, and interest in and to the above allotments of land.
Full particulars at the Rooms.

NEAT COTTAGE, LEICHHARDT.

THURSDAY, 30th AUGUST.

TEES COTTAGE, No. 111, Day-street,
containing
Hall, 3 rooms, kitchen, scullery, with shower bath, close to the tram line; would let at 15s 6d per week. Land 14 x 96ft. 3in.
Torrens' title.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, the 30th August, at 11.30. The above
NEAT COTTAGE RESIDENCE.

A GOOD INVESTMENT PROPERTY.

CORNER DENISON and EBLEY STREETS, WAVERLEY.

NEXT THURSDAY, 30th AUGUST.

SUPERIOR BUSINESS PREMISES
and
PRIVATE RESIDENCE.
Rentals, 58s per week.
FREEHOLD TITLE. TERMS AT SALE.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, the 30th August, at 11.30, the above
INVESTMENT PROPERTY,
comprising
GROCER'S SHOP and DWELLING, with hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, balcony, and awning in front, with verandah and balcony at rear; also,
PRIVATE HOUSE adjoining, of 5 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, &c.
The above are built of brick on stone foundations, and are surrounded by a large population, and near the Waverley tram.

GLEBE POINT-ROAD.

NEXT THURSDAY, 30th AUGUST.

TWO SEMI-DETACHED VILLAS,
known as
Nos. 7 and 8, Glebe Villas, and adjoining Bidura,
the residence of Mr. Perks.
AN EXCELLENT SITUATION,
always commanding good tenants, and now let at £100 per annum each. Land about 51ft. x 114ft.

TORRENS' TITLE. TERMS AT SALE.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed to sell by auction, at their Sydney Auction Mart, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY next, the 30th August, at 11.30, the above
TWO SEMI-DETACHED VILLAS,
built of brick on stone, cemented, slate roofs, each containing hall, 9 rooms, bathroom, and washhouse, &c.; every convenience for a family.
The AUCTIONEERS DIRECT THE ATTENTION of TRUSTEES and Investors to the above Property as a permanent source of income.

IN THE ESTATE OF PETER BEVERIDGE,
of George-street, Windsor, Baker and Confectioner.

THURSDAY, 30th AUGUST.

The Official Assignee's right, title, and interest, if any, in and to the following shares, viz.:—
50 Shares Australian Mutual Live Stock Company
50 Shares West Wallsend Coal Company
100 Shares Colonial Mutual Live Stock Company.
100 Shares United Austn. Mutual Fire Insurance Co.
TERMS, CASH.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions from L. T. Lloyd, Esq., official assignee of the above estate, to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, the 30th August, at 11.30,
The official assignee's right, title, and interest, if any, in and to the above shares.

To MINING CAPITALISTS, SYNDICATES, and INVESTORS.

GREAT WESTERN SILVER MINE.

SUNNY CORNER, MITCHELL.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions from the Liquidator to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, Sydney, on MONDAY, 3rd September, at 12 noon,
THE GREAT WESTERN SILVER MINE,
comprising Mineral Lease No. 1877, of 60 acres, situate in the Parish of Coolamigal, County of Roxburgh.

THIS PROPERTY ADJOINS
the
CELEBRATED SUNNY CORNER MINE.
The work done on the property is—A main tunnel of a total length of 606ft.; two levels have been driven south of the main drive, 195 and 206 feet in length, at 200 and 210 feet respectively from mouth of tunnel.

TOXTETH PARK ESTATE,

GLEBE POINT.

The
UNSOLD PORTION
of the
SECOND SUBDIVISION
ALLOTMENTS,
Fronting
WIGRAM-ROAD,
BOYCE-STREET,
TOXTETH-ROAD,
and
BELL-STREET.
For
AUCTION SALE,
ON THE GROUND,
at an
EARLY DATE.
LITHOGRAPHS in course of Preparation.
MILLS and PILE,
Auctioneers,
130, Pitt-street.

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Auction Sales.

ORDER OF SALE
of
SUNDRY PROPERTIES,
to be
SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
at
their ROOMS, 133, PITT-STREET,
at 11.30 o'clock,
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 29.

SHARES. 19 SHARES in the LUCKY HIT SILVER-MINING COMPANY, contributing.

NORTH SHORE. The UNSOLD ALLOTMENTS in the BERRY'S and HOLTERMANN'S ESTATES, belonging to the late B. O. Holtermann, Esq.

BURWOOD. BLOCK of LAND, having about 99ft. frontage to the PARRAMATTA-ROAD, by a depth of 167ft.

ST. PETERS. A BRICK-BUILT COTTAGE, situate fronting MAY-STREET.

HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

PARRAMATTA-ROAD, BURWOOD.

VALUABLE BLOCK OF PROPERTY,
Having about 99ft. frontage to PARRAMATTA-ROAD, by depth of about 167ft., situate nearly opposite
NEICH'S HOTEL,
Close to TINCH'S BAKERY,
And the
ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH AND PRESBYTERY.

The improvements include large brick Building, with slate roof, divided into Dwelling-house of 7 rooms, and Cottage containing 4 rooms. There is also a detached w.b. Cottage, with brick end walls and iron roof, containing 4 rooms.

HARDIE and GORMAN have been instructed by the Mortgagee to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 29th.
The above described freehold property, Parramatta-road, Burwood, on the main road, and within 15 minutes' of the Railway-station.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

ESTATE of the Late B. O. HOLTERMANN, Esq.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the Executors to sell by public auction, in the Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 29,
THE UNSOLD ALLOTMENTS in "THE ST. LEONARDS LODGE," "BERRY'S," and HOLTERMANN'S ESTATES, NORTH SHORE, described as follows:—
ST. LEONARDS LODGE.—Lot 3, sec. 4, having 44ft. frontage to WEST-STREET by a depth of 120ft. along a lane to a lane.
BERRY'S ESTATE.—Lots 2 and 3, sec. 3, having 98ft. 4in. frontage to LANE COVE-ROAD by a depth of 113ft. 3½in. along FALCON-STREET to a lane.
Lots 3, 4, 5, sec. 2, each having 40ft. frontage to ALEXANDER-STREET by 120ft.
Lot 5, sec. 3, having 40ft. frontage to ALEXANDER-STREET by 120ft.
Also, FIVE TRIANGULAR ALLOTMENTS, fronting HOLTERMANN, ERNEST, and BURLINGTON STREETS.
HOLTERMANN'S ESTATE.—Lot 18, sec. 1, having 80ft. 3in. frontage to BURLINGTON-STREET by 143ft. along SOPHIA-STREET.
Lots 26 and 27, sec. 2, having 18ft. 11in. frontage to BURLINGTON-STREET and 109ft. to SOPHIA-STREET.
TITLE, TORRENS' ACT.
SOLICITORS for the Estate,
Messrs. STEPHEN, JAQUES, and STEPHEN.

PLANS on view at the Rooms of the auctioneers.

MAY-STREET, ST. PETERS.

A BRICK-BUILT COTTAGE, on Stone Foundations, with slate and iron roof, containing verandah, 3 rooms, kitchen, &c., water laid on.
THE LAND has a frontage of 36ft. to May-street, by a depth about 70 along a right-of-way.

TITLE, FREEHOLD.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from Messrs. J. and H. Goodsell to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,
ON WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 29.
The above-described property, situate a stone's throw of St. Peters railway station.

SOLICITORS for the Vendors,
Messrs. JONES and JONES.

THE LUCKY HIT SILVER-MINING COMPANY, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that in consequence of the non-payment of the first Call, the following Shares in the Lucky Hit Silver-mining Company, Limited, have been forfeited in accordance with a resolution passed by the Board of Directors on the 21st instant, and will be sold at auction on WEDNESDAY, August 29th, 1888, by Messrs. HARDIE and GORMAN, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, at 11.30 o'clock:—

One share contributing,	numbered	264,	Syndicate	No.	83
Ditto	ditto	ditto	266	ditto	97
Ditto	ditto	ditto	268	ditto	106
Ditto	ditto	ditto	270	ditto	107
Ditto	ditto	ditto	272	ditto	108
Ditto	ditto	ditto	274	ditto	109
Ditto	ditto	ditto	276	ditto	3
Ditto	ditto	ditto	278	ditto	13
Ditto	ditto	ditto	280	ditto	64
Ditto	ditto	ditto	282	ditto	4
Ditto	ditto	ditto	284	ditto	15
Ditto	ditto	ditto	286	ditto	75
Ditto	ditto	ditto	288	ditto	67
Ditto	ditto	ditto	290	ditto	68
Ditto	ditto	ditto	292	ditto	69
Ditto	ditto	ditto	294	ditto	37
Ditto	ditto	ditto	296	ditto	39
Ditto	ditto	ditto	298	ditto	73
Ditto	ditto	ditto	300	ditto	41

By order of the Board.
A. A. GALLAGHER, Manager.
August 23rd, 1888.

In the Estate of the late Chas. Wright, Esq.

PETERSHAM.—A BUILDING SITE, situate and having 63ft. frontage to Dulwich-street, by a depth of 180ft. 3in., being Lot 19, Sec. 3, of the Dulwich Hill Estate, situate close to New Canterbury-road.
TITLE, TORRENS.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5,
The above-described property.

LOT 1.—NORTH ANNANDALE—A COMPACT BLOCK of BUILDINGS, situate fronting WELLS and COLLINS STREETS, and comprising SHOP, with DWELLING over containing 4 rooms and kitchen, washhouse and copper; also, 4 COTTAGES adjoining, each containing 2 rooms, kitchen, with copper, washhouse, &c., and let at 9s per week per house. The land has a frontage of 73ft. to Wells-street and 73ft. to Collins-street. Title, Torrens'.

LOT 2.—FOREST LODGE, off Hereford-street.—Three COTTAGES, built of brick, known as Rose, Melrose, and Eton respectively, fronting Creek-street, each let at 12s per week, and containing 3 rooms, hall, kitchen, bath, washhouse and copper, &c. The land has a frontage of 60ft. (m. or l.) to Creek-street, by a depth of 108ft. Title, Torrens'.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 on WEDNESDAY, September 5,
The above-described investments.

To BUILDING COMPANIES, SPECULATIVE BUILDERS, and OTHERS.

RANDWICK,
OVERLOOKING THE CENTENNIAL PARK,
in a most unique and picturesque position on the heights, commanding interesting and extensive views in all directions.

A REALLY HIGH-CLASS BLOCK
of
BUILDING LAND,
containing an area
of
6a. 1r. 22½p.
RIPE FOR IMMEDIATE DEVELOPMENT,
situate and possessing the following frontages to already well-established thoroughfares—
554ft. to ALBION STREET
780ft. to DOUGLAS-STREET
744ft. to FERN-STREET
201ft. to CARRINGTON-ROAD.

THIS ELIGIBLE BLOCK of LAND is distinguished as the MOUNT ALBION ESTATE, fronts the tram line (from Randwick to Waverley), ADJOINS BISHOPSCOURT ESTATE, and possesses the most perfect drainage, with streets all kerbed and guttered.

FOR AUCTION SALE IN ONE LOT.

TITLE, TORRENS'.

PLAN on view at the Rooms of the Auctioneers, 133, Pitt-street.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12th,
The LAND, as above described, possessing an area of 6a. 1r. 22½p., and situate in RANDWICK.

CITY OF SYDNEY.

AN EXCEEDINGLY VALUABLE CORNER BUILDING SITE,
at the junction of
CLARENCE-STREET and BARRACK STREET,
and
possessing the following important frontages
of about
78ft. to BARRACK-STREET
75ft. to CLARENCE-STREET
and
78ft. to YORK-LANE,
together with the old Buildings erected thereon, and known as Nos. 82, 84, and 86, Clarence-street, and Nos. 2, 4, and 6, Barrack-street, let at nominal rentals upon leases expiring shortly,
The whole forming
A MOST COMPACT BLOCK OF CITY BUILDING LAND,
in an enviable position.
Situate adjoining warehouses in Clarence-street in course of erection for Messrs. FARLEIGH, NETTHEIM, and CO. and Messrs. M'MURTRIE and CO.; also, opposite a block of land recently leased to an influential Melbourne syndicate and about to be covered with BUILDINGS of GIGANTIC PROPORTIONS, and surrounded by such important houses as Messrs. JOHN FRAZER and CO., D. MITCHELL and CO., WM. GARDINER and CO., WM. HOWARD SMITH and SONS, and a host of others.

It would be difficult to duplicate this corner in any part of the city, and which is so eminently adapted for the erection of an HOTEL, COFFEE PALACE, or WAREHOUSES.
TITLE, TORRENS'.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m. on WEDNESDAY, 12th September,
The above-described valuable corner site, fronting Barrack and Clarence streets.

BRUSH FARM.

VALUABLE ORCHARD PROPERTY.

For UNRESERVED SALE at Auction,
by order of the Trustees in the Estate of Mr. S. H. SMITH.

That SPLENDID ORCHARD PROPERTY,
comprising some
40 ACRES,
at
BRUSH FARM,
upon which upwards of £5000 have been expended in improvements, just come to full bearing, in fine order, and yielding
A HANDSOME INCOME.

The Orchard crops include
ORANGES
GRAPES
APRICOTS
PEACHES
PLUMS
APPLES
PASSION FRUITS
&c., &c., &c.
in all some 10,000 Vines and Fruit Trees.

NEVER-FAILING SUPPLY OF WATER.

This Property will be sold in the
ONE BLOCK OF 40 ACRES,
or in
FOUR BLOCKS OF 10 ACRES EACH.

The SALE will be WITHOUT RESERVE, by order of the Trustees, who have decided to realise, so as to close the Estate Accounts.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell BY ORDER of the TRUSTEES, and WITHOUT RESERVE, at their Sale Rooms in Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,
WEDNESDAY, 12th SEPTEMBER,
The above-described ORCHARD ESTATE at BRUSH FARM.

The improvements, in addition to the planting and cultivation of the Estate, include Caretaker's and Gardener's Residences, Stable, &c., and with the erection of a GOOD RESIDENCE would be rendered one of the most COMPLETE and REMUNERATIVE ESTATES in the
COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND.

The views of Parramatta River, the Blue Mountains, Parramatta, and the railway suburbs are very fine, and such as can only be obtained on
BRUSH FARM HEIGHTS.

The Railway now open to Ryde brings this property within a quarter of an hour of the train.

INSPECTION is invited.
CARDS to view from the Auctioneers.

WATSON'S BAY.

A Grand Subdivision Block, having the following Frontages:—
50ft. to the Beach
365ft. to Palmerston-street
430ft. to Gladstone-street.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, in the Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,
on WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12,
The above-described property, situate at Watson's Bay.

Plans on View at the Rooms.

SOLICITORS for the Vendors,
Messrs. WANT, JOHNSON, and CO.

DAY OF SALE, OCTOBER 10.

IN THE ESTATE OF THE
LATE WILLIAM LAWSON, JUN., Esq.

By Order of the TRUSTEES,
J. R. STREET, Esq.,
and
J. C. TAYLOR, Esq.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALES
of
VALUABLE COUNTRY LANDS.

IN THE MUDGEE DISTRICT.

LOT 1.—BERRIWA, near DENISON TOWN,
on the TALBRAGAR RIVER.
3267 ACRES, in three grants, at present forming portion of the Berriwa Run. This FREEHOLD PROPERTY together with about 4300 Acres of CROWN LEASEHOLDS attached thereto, is leased to Mr. D. MacMaster, but occupied by Mr. E. J. Lowe, at the nominal rental of £100 per annum. The lease expires on 1st August, 1888.
The estate is intersected by the main road from MUDGEE towards COOLAH, and by a branch road towards COBBORAH. These roads are fenced off on both sides by wire fencing, and the freehold frontages between these roads and the river are completely enclosed into two paddocks. The back portions of the freehold, together with the leasehold lands, form another large paddock. Altogether, about 10 or 11 miles of fencing, all wire, fall upon the freehold lands, either as boundary fences or fencing on the roads mentioned. The whole of the freehold land has been ringbarked.
The freehold frontages, between the roads mentioned and the river, are generally rich alluvial black soil flats; the remaining portions comprise generally more or less undulating red soil forest country.

LOT 2.—NEAR BATHURST, IN THE PARISH OF GRANTHAM.
640 ACRES, intersected by the GREEN VALLEY CREEK, and let on an annual lease to Mr. J. N. Gilmour.

IN THE MUDGEE DISTRICT.
LOT 3.—AT PIPER'S FLAT, near WALLERAWANG,
1280 ACRES, IN TWO GRANTS.
This LAND is situated on the MUDGEE RAILWAY LINE, about five miles from WALLERAWANG JUNCTION, and is divided into two almost equal parts by this railway. Nearly in the centre of the property is situated the PIPER'S FLAT PLATFORM, and the road to Mudgee also runs generally alongside the railway line through the property.

IN THE MUDGEE DISTRICT.
LOT 4.—Near the Summit of Cherry-Tree Hill, on the Mudgee-road.
640 ACRES.
This Property is situated about 10 miles along the Mudgee-road from CAPERTEE RAILWAY STATION, on the Mudgee Railway. It is intersected by the Mudgee-road, and occupied by Mr. John Davis.

IN THE MUDGEE DISTRICT.
LOT 5.—AT THE BASE OF CHERRY-TREE HILL, ON THE MUDGEE-ROAD.
640 ACRES.
This LAND is intersected by the Mudgee-road, and lies immediately to the South of the old township of Ilford.

IN THE BATHURST DISTRICT.
LOT 6.—AT MITCHELL'S PLAINS, NEAR APSLEY, 500 ACRES, at present occupied by Mr. M'GRATH.
THIS LAND fronts CAMPBELL'S RIVER, and is situated about 10 MILES from BATHURST.
About one-half of the land originally consisted of open plain, with rich soil. Since then a further area has been cleared, and, together with the plain, placed under cultivation, so that now fully two-thirds of the area are under crop, the remainder being used as grass paddocks. The WHOLE OF THE FARM is substantially enclosed and subdivided, principally with post-and-rail fencing; and a dwelling-house, out-buildings, and hay-sheds exist upon it.
Tracings of all the above properties can be inspected upon application to the Auctioneers, 133, Pitt-street, Sydney.

For particulars as to title, &c., apply to Messrs. NORTON and CO., Solicitors, O'Connell-street.

HARDIE and GORMAN, in conjunction with Messrs. RICHARDSON and WRENCH, are favoured with instructions from the trustees in the estate of the late WILLIAM LAWSON, Jun., Esq., to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, Sydney, at 11.30 a.m. on WEDNESDAY, October 10th, 1888,
The above-described valuable COUNTRY LANDS.

TERMS of SALE;
One-fifth cash; balance 2, 3, 4, and 5 years;
or
One-fourth cash, balance in 5 years at 5 per cent. per annum interest.

BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTORS.

In the Estate of the late
Hon. HENRY MOORE, M.L.C.

DARLINGHURST HEIGHTS.

At the Junction of MACKAY-STREET and ELIZABETH BAY-ROAD, a neighbourhood eagerly sought after for residential purposes, being only 15 minutes' walk of the General Post Office.

21 MAGNIFICENT BUILDING SITES,
comprising
THE UNSOLD ALLOTMENTS
in the well-known
BARNCLEUTH ESTATE,
situate fronting
ELIZABETH BAY-ROAD,
and other made roads,
adjoining
THE ROSLYN HALL ESTATE, the MACLEAY ESTATE, and the Princely Mansion of R. AMOS, Esq.

TITLE, FREEHOLD.

Plan on view at the Rooms, 133, Pitt-street.

Messieurs Holdsworth and Evans, Solicitors, Pitt-street.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, in the Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, during the month of October,
The unsold portions of the Barncleuth Estate, at Darlinghurst, as above described.

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEE APPOINTED UNDER THE SETTLED ESTATES ACT.

BAPTIST ESTATE,
STRATHFIELD RAILWAY STATION,
(the land known as Baptist's Bush, at the station,)
will be
SOLD IN SUBDIVISION BY PUBLIC AUCTION
EARLY IN THE COMING SPRING.

IMPORTANT TO BUILDERS, INVESTORS, and Others.

BUSINESS SITES FRONTING THE STATION
VILLA SITES FRONTING EVERTON-ROAD
RESIDENCE SITES FRONTING WENTWORTH-ROAD (late Driver's-road)
GOOD FRONTAGES and FULL DEPTHS up to 200ft., with 20ft. lanes at rear.

*** THIS IS UNDOUBTEDLY THE PICK OF POSITIONS at BURWOOD or STRATHFIELD, and is about the only remaining INTACT BLOCK. GAS and CITY WATER will be available for all houses erected on this Estate.
PRELIMINARY INTIMATION.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell (by order of the Trustee appointed under the Settled Estates Act) by public auction, ON THE GROUND,
EARLY IN THE COMING SPRING,
BAPTIST'S ESTATE, STRATHFIELD RAILWAY STATION,
in subdivision.
Plans will be ready, and terms of sale announced, in due course.

Messieurs HUGHES and HUGHES, Solicitors, Elizabeth-street.
H. PERCY DOVE, Esq., Surveyor, Elizabeth-street.

HUON (imp.) will try to lower 2 minutes 33½ seconds for one mile on WEDNESDAY NEXT, at Agricultural Grounds, Moore Park. Admission, 1s.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

TO BUILDING and LAND COMPANIES, INVESTORS, SPECULATORS, BUILDERS, and OTHERS.

For SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE CAMDEN COLLEGE ESTATE
at
NEWTOWN.

THREE (3) ACRES of highly IMPROVED GROUNDS
with
CAMDEN COLLEGE
(a large old fashioned building)
in the centre.

TO BE SOLD IN ONE BLOCK.

The frontages are as follow:—
333ft. 6in. to NEWTOWN-ROAD
330ft. to COLLEGE-STREET
by depth of
387... along CAMDEN-STREET
(all made roads).

The Title is under Torrens' Act.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the COUNCIL of CAMDEN COLLEGE to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, in Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,
WEDNESDAY, 12th SEPTEMBER,
CAMDEN COLLEGE and IMPROVED GROUNDS
of about
3 ACRES.

The Auctioneers direct attention to the sale of this
IMPORTANT BLOCK
of almost
CITY LAND,
situate on the MAIN ROAD, midway between the
NEWTOWN RAILWAY STATION
and
TEMPE RAILWAY STATION,
almost adjoining the
BUSINESS CENTRE of NEWTOWN.

The COLLEGE is a LARGE MASSIVE STRUCTURE, and if pulled down the materials will realise a handsome sum. The Newtown-road frontage is protected by stone wall, iron railings, and gates. The shrubberies and trees are of mature growth, but all must disappear with the business growth of Newtown, which is now undoubtedly the busiest of Sydney's suburbs.

The terms will be one-fourth (¼) cash, the balance may remain at 6 per cent.

Torrens' Title.

Plans are in course of preparation by Mr. Sydney Nott, surveyor, Victoria-chambers.

WATSON'S BAY.

A Grand Subdivision Block, having the following Frontages:—
50ft. to the Beach of Watson's Bay
365ft. to Palmerston-street
430ft. to Gladstone-street.

Preliminary Intimation.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, in the Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,
ON AN EARLY DATE.
The above-described property, situate at Watson's Bay.
Plan and lithographs in course of preparation.
SOLICITORS for the Vendors,
Messrs. WANT, JOHNSON, and CO.

NORTH ANNANDALE ESTATE.

UNRESERVED SALE.

Corner of Trafalgar and Albion-street, opposite residence of Hon. F. Abigail.

15 ALLOTMENTS, from 18 to 27 feet. Easy terms:—5s per foot deposit, 2s per foot per month, interest 6 per cent.
Torrens' Title.

T. R. SMITH has received instructions from the Burwood Land, Building, and Investment Company, Limited, to sell by auction, on the Ground, THIS DAY, August 25, at 3 o'clock.
The above choice lots at Trafalgar-street tram stopping-place. Note the above easy terms.

NORTH ANNANDALE.

NELSON-STREET.

T. R. SMITH will sell by auction, THIS DAY, Saturday, at 3.30, on the Ground, corner of Nelson and Albion streets, North Annandale,
6 allotments of land, directly opposite Mr. Gray's hotel.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1.

FARM, ORCHARD, AND VINEYARD BLOCKS.

YORK ESTATE, PENRITH,
comprising
Bluegate, Frogmore, Garswood, Enfield, Chipping, Filly Paddock, and other portions well known as being among the choicest Agricultural Land in the County of Cumberland.

THE FIRST SUBDIVISIONS
146 BLOCKS of 5, 10, 20, and 25 ACRES,
will be offered for SALE BY AUCTION on
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, at 3 o'clock,
ON THE GROUND.

Intending Purchasers of Farms, Vineyards, &c., should wait for this Sale.

T. R. SMITH has received instructions from the Metropolitan Mutual Permanent Building and Investment Association Limited, to sell by auction, on the Ground, SATURDAY, September 1, at 3 o'clock,
The above valuable Estate at Penrith.

Terms—For 5-acre Blocks, £1 per acre deposit, balance 5s per acre per month, interest 6 per cent.; 10-acre Blocks, £1 per acre deposit, balance 4s per acre per month, interest 6 per cent.; 20 and 25 acre Blocks, £1 per acre deposit, balance 3s per acre per month, interest 6 per cent.

Torrens' Title.

Special train will leave Redfern Station at 12.45, calling at Homebush, Granville, Parramatta, and all stations beyond Parramatta, tickets for which may be obtained at the offices of the Association, and of the Auctioneer, at 1s 6d each for the return journey.

For further particulars and lithographs apply
T. R. SMITH, Auctioneer,
Mercantile-chambers,
85, Park-street, Sydney,
And Penrith;
Also, at the office of the Vendors,
65, Market-street, Sydney.

ROBERT W. CONWAY, Manager.

To Speculators and others.

PARRAMATTA PROPERTY.

POSITIVE SALE,
THIS DAY, August 25, at 3.30 p.m.

W. A. BRODIE and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, on the Ground, Marsden-street South, on the above date,
All that block of land, containing an area of about ⅓ an acre, having 291 links frontage to Marsden-street, 231 to Lansdowne-street, and 212 to Lennox-street, together with 2 brick cottages and all improvements erected thereon.
Title, Torrens'.
Terms: ¼ cash; balance 2 years, with interest added at the rate of 5 per cent.

FOR UNRESERVED SALE.

Three well-positioned properties,
STRATHFIELD and ENFIELD.
Good Sites for first-class Residences, within easy distance of Burwood or Strathfield Stations.
TORRENS' TITLES.

W. PRITCHARD and SON have received instructions from Mr. Jas. Dixon to dispose of by auction, in the Rooms, on THURSDAY, 30th AUGUST, at 11 o'clock,
Lots 51, 52, and 53, Emerald Hills Estate, Strathfield, having a frontage of 150ft. to High-street, by depth of 166ft. 8in., upon which is erected a comfortable weatherboard cottage containing 4 rooms, &c., with extensive stabling accommodation. Now occupied by the owner.

Almost adjoining above.
Lots 56, 57, and 58, having similar frontages to High-street, with a side frontage to Cross-street, on which is built a very comfortable cottage, containing 5 rooms.

ENFIELD.—Corner Lots 13 and 14, Milham Subdivision, having a frontage of 71ft. to Dean-street, by a side frontage along Water-street of 155ft. 9in., and a frontage at the rear of 71ft. to lane, on which is erected small cottage.
The whole of these properties are in excellent positions, and well worth buying.
PLANS AT THE ROOMS.

EXCELLENT CORNER BUSINESS SITE,
Australia and Eton Streets,
NEWTOWN.

W. PRITCHARD and SON will sell by auction, in the Rooms, on THURSDAY next, August 30,
A first-class BUILDING SITE, having a frontage of 41ft. to Australia-street, at corner of Eton-street, a few yards from Ross's Glass Works, together with the small shop and dwelling now erected upon it, which being unworthy the site, will no doubt be demolished by the purchaser to make room for more suitable premises.
TERMS CASH. TORRENS' TITLE.

TO SPECULATORS, INVESTORS, and OTHERS.
FOR POSITIVE SALE.
One-half interest in and to LOTS 1, 6 and 7 of SUBDIVISION of MUNROE'S GRANT, parish of Gordon, LANE COVE, containing in all about 15 acres, having a frontage to the Lane Cove-road, and intersected by the Railway Line from Pearce's Corner to North Shore.
TORRENS' TITLE.

W. PRITCHARD and SON will sell by auction, in the Rooms, on THURSDAY, 30th AUGUST, at 11 o'clock,
The above-described half interest in an exceedingly valuable property, particulars of the title of which may be obtained from the Vendors.
Solicitor—G. E. MURDOCH, Esq., Phillip-street.

R. J. COTTELL
(successor to John Cameron)
LAND AUCTIONEER and VALUATOR,
Town Hall, Brisbane.
The only auctioneer in Brisbane who devotes himself solely to
LAND BUSINESS.
City, Suburban, and Country Properties for SALE in every locality in and around the metropolis of Queensland.

Auction and Private Sales conducted with intelligence and despatch.
Every information afforded to inquiries by letter.

PITTWATER.
THAT VALUABLE PROPERTY known as
THE PENINSULA,
having an AREA of 40 ACRES, with ONE and a HALF MILE WATER FRONTAGE. SPLENDID ORCHARDS of 20 Acres, containing about 2000 choice trees. GRAND RESIDENCE on property containing about 12 rooms and outoffices; also, RUSTIC COTTAGE containing 4 rooms.

DUFF and COLLINS have received instructions to sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, on MONDAY, 10th SEPTEMBER, at their ROOMS, 109, PITT-STREET. NO RESERVE. Printed particulars on application to the auctioneers.

KOGARAH, KOGARAH,
OVERLOOKING THE RAILWAY STATION.

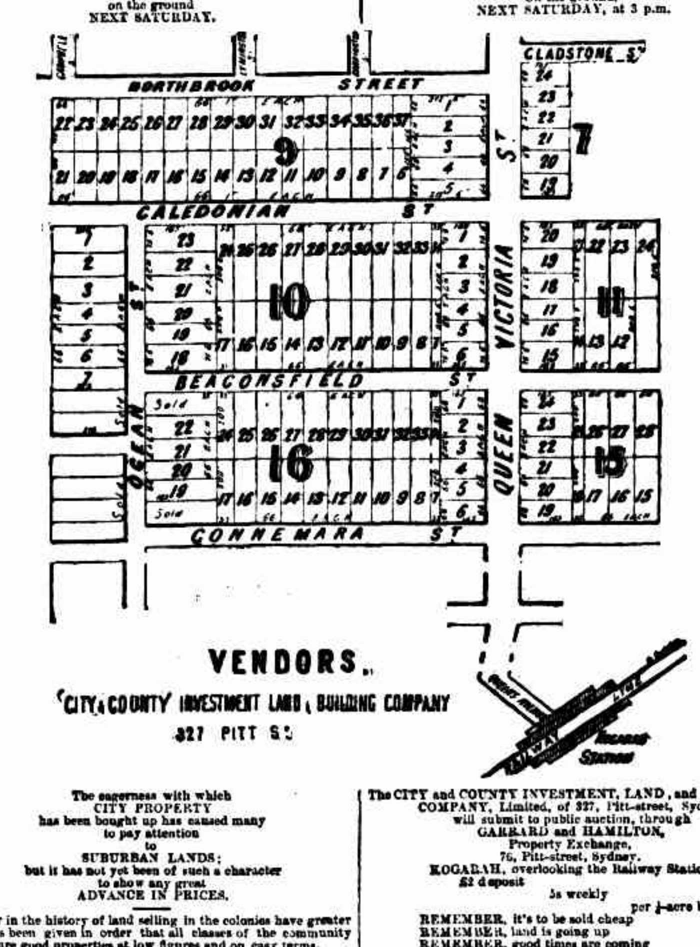
KOGARAH, KOGARAH, KOGARAH
KOGARAH, KOGARAH, KOGARAH.

GOOD ELEVATION.
CLOSE TO RAILWAY STATION.
FINE VIEWS OF BOTANY BAY.

THE CITY RAILWAY
can now be reckoned a certainty, and must greatly improve the
VALUE OF SUBURBAN PROPERTY,
besides, one will be
LANDED RIGHT IN THE CITY,
and the convenience will cause many to have
SUBURBAN HOMES
in high and healthy localities such as
THE CITY and COUNTY
L., L., and B. COMPANY'S ESTATE
at Kogarah,
TO BE SOLD
on the ground
NEXT SATURDAY.

We are now on the turn, and Land has been dull because of little Investment, NOT because of a permanent fall in values.

Can you doubt that
Times will Improve?
Can you doubt that
Money will be cheap?
Can you doubt that
Land Investments will be
EAGERLY SOUGHT?
Can you doubt that LAND will rise to big prices?
Then Buy at
CITY and COUNTY INVESTMENT, LAND, and BUILDING COMPANY'S ESTATE,
KOGARAH. KOGARAH.
SALE NEXT SATURDAY, at 3 p.m.
Free Train Tickets and Plans from
GARRARD and HAMILTON,
Property Exchange,
76, Pitt-street, Sydney.
KOGARAH, overlooking the station.
KOGARAH. KOGARAH.
On the ground,
NEXT SATURDAY, at 3 p.m.



The eagerness with which
CITY PROPERTY
has been bought up has caused many
to pay attention
to
SUBURBAN LANDS;
but it has not yet been of such a character
to show any great
ADVANCE IN PRICES.

Never in the history of land selling in the colonies have greater facilities been given in order that all classes of the community can secure good properties at low figures and on easy terms.

We now offer you just on the turn of tide of prosperity
THE CITY and COUNTY INVESTMENT, LAND, and BUILDING COMPANY'S
(327, Pitt-street, Sydney)
MAGNIFICENT ESTATE
at
KOGARAH,
close to, and overlooking the
KOGARAH RAILWAY STATION,
on the Heights,
having Splendid Views of
BOTANY BAY, SYDNEY, and the intervening Suburbs and surrounding district.

Remember that you can buy on such easy terms, namely, £2 deposit on each ¼-acre block, and 5s weekly per ¼-acre; or you may accept any of the other numerous sets of terms we give. Many will wonder how we do it, but under no circumstances need you pay more than £2 deposit and 5s weekly on each block you buy, and you have the right to pay off at any time, with interest to date of paying off full amount due.

It may well be asked what would justify one purchasing? Now, we simply point you to the evidences of progress in business in Sydney, better times among the squatters, and improved seasons for the farmers, which, taken into consideration with the large amount of capital being introduced to the colony by Victorian, British, and Foreign Capitalists, must tend to increased activity.

The vast City, Suburban, and Country Railway Schemes of the Parkes Government must shortly be passed by the House, and thereby cause some MILLIONS OF MONEY to be spent in giving EMPLOYMENT to thousands, and
INCREASED PROSPERITY
to the whole community. Then with this must come a tremendous improvement in the PRICES OF LAND, not a false temporary value, but bring the Land up to its
FAIR MARKET VALUE.
Why we can sell Suburban Lands here at half the prices lands of a like character may be bought in Melbourne? Is there any cause for this?—Simply, they have abundance of money in Melbourne, and
ARE INVESTING.

The CITY and COUNTY INVESTMENT, LAND, and BUILDING COMPANY, Limited, of 327, Pitt-street, Sydney, will submit to public auction, through
GARRARD and HAMILTON,
Property Exchange,
76, Pitt-street, Sydney.
KOGARAH, overlooking the Railway Station.
£2 deposit
5s weekly
per ¼-acre block.
REMEMBER, it's to be sold cheap
REMEMBER, land is going up
REMEMBER, good times are coming
REMEMBER, there's no risk on such easy terms.
KOGARAH is only 7 miles from Sydney.
KOGARAH is the principal suburb on the Illawarra line.
KOGARAH has sprung into life quicker than any of Sydney suburbs.
KOGARAH has a splendid future.
KOGARAH is 26 minutes' run from Sydney.
KOGARAH is high and healthy.
KOGARAH is handy to Lady Robinson Beach.
KOGARAH, 5 miles by rail to the fine fishing spots at Oatley, George's River.
KOGARAH is on the move, and has a start for the good time coming.
KOGARAH Land, overlooking the Railway Station, is to be sold cheap by the
CITY and COUNTY INVESTMENT, LAND, and BUILDING COMPANY, 327, PITT-STREET.
Remember, £2 Deposit
per Quarter Acre Block.
5s Weekly per Quarter Acre Block.
LOOK at
THE TERMS:—
£2 Deposit. 5s per Week per Block. 5s per Week.
With right to pay off at any time. No Heavy Interest.
For such Long Terms. 2½ per cent. Discount for Cash.
No Interest if paid off within 6 Months, or pay Monthly for 5 Years at 5 per cent., 8 Years at 6 per cent., or
TAKE UNLIMITED TIME. UNLIMITED TIME.

At only 5s per Week. 5s Weekly.
It will enable you to hold for Profit, as the Land will increase at a far Greater Rate than your Rate of Interest.
Remember, for the Unlimited Period,
Five Shillings Weekly, only 7 per cent. is charged.
Your Payments are Easy. Interest Low.
Send Note offering to Purchase as above.
Be in Time,
REMEMBER,
SALE NEXT SATURDAY.

PLANS and FREE TRAIN TICKETS may be obtained from Vendors, or
GARRARD and HAMILTON,
Property Exchange,
76, Pitt-street.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

Close to the Proposed Train Route.

On the GROUND, 88, TERRY-STREET, near
WISE-STREET, BALMAIN,
THIS DAY, SATURDAY,
at 3 p.m., by
GARRARD and HAMILTON.
TERRY-STREET.—Lots 12, 13, 16, 17, having a total frontage of 81ft. to Terry-street, 70ft. to York-place, by a through depth of 193ft. and 234ft., upon which are erected (Terry-street) 4 Substantial Detached Brick Cottages, each 2 rooms, hall, kitchen, washhouse with copper, verandah back and front, city water, plastered throughout. Torrens' title. Foundations are already laid in York-place for the erection of other Cottages. Splendid investment. Always let. Close to ferry, 'bus, and proposed tram.

MANSFIELD and SMITH STREETS.—Lot 52, having 20ft. 1in. to Mansfield-street, by a depth of 128ft. 6in. to Smith-street. Torrens' Title. An unequalled Business or Residential Site. Close to the Ferry and future Park.
ROOTY HILL.—A Block of Land, having 285ft. to Windsor-road, by a depth of 198ft. Torrens' Title. Splendid position for Poultry Farm or Orchard.

FAIRFIELD.—Lots 14 and 15, containing 1 rood 34 perches in this thriving township, having a frontage of 100ft. to Smithfield-road by a depth of 202ft. 9in. Title Freehold.

GARRARD and HAMILTON,
Montague-street, Balmain, and Property Exchange, 76, Pitt-street, Sydney.

By Order of the Mortgagees and the Trustee of the Bankrupt Estate of
A. A. DEVLIN.

BERREMBED (UARAH) STATION.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, of Sydney (with Armstrong, Howe, and Co., of Geelong, Victoria), are instructed to offer for sale, by public auction, at Scott's Hotel, Melbourne, on FRIDAY, 14th September, 1888, at 3 o'clock p.m.,
BERREMBED (UARAH) STATION,
situate in the Lachlan district of New South Wales, central division, land district of Wagga Wagga, between Wagga Wagga and Narranders, and adjoining the Ganmain and Deepwater Stations.

The railway from Wagga to Hay, via Narranders, passes through the property. Grong Grong Railway Station is just on the boundary, about 8 miles from the head station.
The property comprises about 563 acres freehold and 6121 acres C. P. land, with the leasehold area, containing approximately 5696 acres, and the resumed area approximately 6775 acres.
The country is box forest with mulga plains, and well grassed. Half the run is very lightly timbered, and, except about 320 acres, the whole has been ringbarked, and three-fourths scrubbed.
About 45 acres are under cultivation with wheat, oats, lucerne, and fruit.
The freehold and C. P. land consists of rich soil, fitted for agriculture.
The run is subdivided into 10 sheep paddocks, and watered by 6 sheep tanks, 2 splendid dams in deep watercourses, and 3 wells (two 90ft., and the third about 28ft. deep).
The frontage is partly on a billabong, and has splendid stretches of water.
The whole of the run is fenced with about 25 miles of sheep-proof fencing, viz., 18 miles 6-wire, 6½ miles dog-leg and chock and log, 2 miles 2-rails, and 1½ mile brush fence.
The subdivision fencing (about 17 miles) consists of wire and rail and wire, &c.
Improvements at head station comprise a good substantial brick building of 9 rooms and hall, with wide verandah in front. Adjoining is a W. B. Cottage, with 2 bedrooms, bathroom, laundry, and office, also large W. B. kitchen, with bedroom and 2 pantries, stove, brick fireplace and oven. Detached are two storerooms, dairy, underground meathouse, men's hut, two-stall stable, coachhouse (with bedroom), and chaffhouse; also a windmill, which supplies the whole establishment with water. About eight miles from the head station, on one of the C.Ps., is an overseer's cottage (W.B.), containing four rooms and kitchen.
There are two horse paddocks (300 acres and 25 acres respectively), and two sheep-drafting yards, one north and the other south of the railway line.
With the above will be sold the Stock on the Station, the property of the vendors, comprising approximately—
14,600 sheep of the following ages and sexes, which are also approximate:—

3000	6-year-old ewes
1000	7-year-old ewes
4000	4-tooth ewes
4000	6-tooth ewes
700	yearling ewes
100	old stud ewes
1050	aged wethers
600	yearling rams
100	4-tooth rams
14,600—50	aged rams

Lambs estimated at between 5000 and 6000 will be given in
87 cattle and 22 horses.
For further particulars apply to the Auctioneers.

TROTTING and GALLOPING RACES at Agricultural Grounds, Moore Park, WEDNESDAY NEXT. Admission, 1s.

UNION TERMINATING BUILDING SOCIETY, 55, Market-st.—The latest and best. Call for prospectus.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

VALUABLE QUEENSLAND PROPERTIES
FOR SALE.

TO CLOSE A PARTNERSHIP ACCOUNT.

HILL, CLARK, and CO. have been instructed to offer at auction, on
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1888,
to close a partnership account,
The following valuable Queensland properties:—
MANTUAN DOWNS,
situated in the Leichhardt District, and comprising about
480 square miles of country
7000 head of cattle, and
500 horses.

Also,
PALM TREE CREEK STATION,
situated in the Leichhardt District,
together with
3000 head cattle, and
250 horses.

Fuller particulars will appear in a future advertisement, or intending purchasers can obtain full particulars from the agents,
HILL, CLARK, and CO.,
129, Pitt-street, Sydney.

FAMILY RESIDENTIAL ESTATE, consisting of 14-roomed residence, coachhouse, stabling, and 12 acres of land, consisting of garden, orchard, vineyard, and grazing paddocks, situate 12 miles from Sydney, 5 minutes' walk from suburban railway station.

BOYD and KING are instructed by his Honor Judge Murray to dispose of the above charmingly situated residential property, situated in a picturesque position, and at an elevation rendering it essentially healthy and attractive.

For particulars, terms, and orders to view, apply to
BOYD and KING,
Auctioneers,
96, Pitt street, Sydney.

This desirable property can be disposed of either in its entirety or partially, or will be let on lease, with option of purchase.

In the Supreme Court of New South Wales.
Sheriff's Office, Sydney,
28th July, 1888.

HANDCOCK v. THOMPSON, WILLIAM.

ON MONDAY, the third day of September, 1888, at Noon, unless the Writ of Fieri Facias herein be previously satisfied, the Sheriff will cause to be sold by public auction, under the verandah of the Supreme Court, King-street, Sydney,
All the right, title, and interest of WILLIAM THOMPSON, the defendant herein, of, in, and to all those pieces or parcels of land, being parts of a subdivision known as the Campbell Hill Estate, forming portions of an original grant of one thousand acres to JOHN THOMAS CAMPBELL, situated in the parish of Liberty Plains, county of Cumberland, and colony of New South Wales, containing the acres, roods, and perches specified underneath, and more particularly delineated and described in the plan drawn on this deed, and thereon edged "red":—

	a.	r.	p.
Lots 1, 2, and 3, of section 3, contain	15	2	16
Lots 4 and 5, of section 3, contain	9	2	16
Lot 6, of section 3, contains	9	0	8
Lot 8, of section 3, contains	10	0	32
Lot 1, of section 4, contains	6	1	20
Lots 4 and 5, of section 4, contain	5	0	32
Lots 6 and 7, of section 4, contain	18	0	0
Total	76	0	4

Terms cash.
CHARLES COWPER, Sheriff.
VILLENEUVE-SMITH and DAWES, Plaintiff's Attorneys, 52, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

In the Metropolitan and Hunter District Court,
holden at Sydney.
No. 1824.
Between HENRY SELIGSON, Plaintiff, and ISAAC DUNSHEA, Defendant.

ON SATURDAY, 25th day of August, 1888, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, unless judgment herein be previously satisfied, the Registrar of the abovenamed Court will sell by auction, at the Courthouse, Macquarie-street, Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales,
All the right, title, and interest, and equity of redemption (if any) of the abovenamed Isaac Dunshea of, in, and to all that parcel of land situate at Parramatta, in Marion-street, parish of St. John, county of Cumberland, as shown on deposited plan (No. 395), and being a transfer from Charles William Mills (No. 88742), being lots 22 and 23 of section 1, containing 22 perches or thereabouts, as comprised in certificate of title. Registered Vol. 786, Fol. 197.
Dated this 26th July, 1888. J. A. LUCAS, Registrar.

HCON (imp.) will try to lower 2 minutes 33½ seconds for one mile on WEDNESDAY NEXT, at Agricultural Grounds, Moore Park. Admission, 1s.

In the Supreme Court of New South Wales.
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All the right, title, and interest of WILLIAM THOMPSON, the Defendant herein, of, in, and to—All that the Equity of Redemption and all other the right, title, and interest (if any) of him, the said William Thompson, of, in and to all that piece or parcel of land being lots 7, 8, and 9, of section 8 of the subdivision of the Campbell Hill Estate, forming portion of an original grant of 1000 acres to JOHN THOMAS CAMPBELL, situate in the parish of Liberty Plains, county of Cumberland, and colony of New South Wales, containing by admeasurement 9 acres 2 roods 36¼ perches, more or less, commencing at a point on the south western corner of lot 6 bearing 178 degrees 51 minutes for 500 links from the south-eastern corner of lot 3 of section 7, and bounded thence on the north by the southern boundary of lot 6, section 8, being a line bearing 88 degrees 51 minutes for 663.6 links, thence on the east by portion of the western boundary of Campbell Hill-road, being a line bearing 179 degrees 48 minutes and 20 seconds for 1500.2 links, thence on the south by the northern boundary of lot 10, section 8, being a line bearing 268 degrees 51 minutes for 638·8 links, and thence on the west by the eastern boundaries of lots 7, 6, and 5 of section 7, being a line bearing 358 degrees 51 minutes for 1500 links, to the point of commencement.
The above-described lots are subject to a mortgage dated 5th December, 1887, to Abraham Friedman to secure the sum of £100, and interest at the rate of £2 1s 8d per month.

Also, of, in, and to all those pieces or parcels of land being parts of a subdivision known as the Campbell Hill Estate, forming portion of an original grant of 1000 acres to John Thomas Campbell, situate in the parish of Liberty Plains, county of Cumberland, and colony of New South Wales, containing respectively by admeasurement the acres, roods, and perches specified underneath, and more particularly delineated and described in the plan drawn on this deed, and thereon edged "red":—

	a.	r.	p.
Lots 5, 6, 7, and 8 of section 7 contain	24	0	0
Lots 12 and part 13 of section 8 contain	10	3	0
Lots 7, 8, 9, and 10 of section 6 contain	36	0	0
Lots 3, 4, 5, and 6 of section 8 contain	13	0	0
Lots 11 and 13 of section 7 contain	11	0	0
Lot 10 of section 8 contains	3	1	0
Lot 5 of section 6 contains	9	0	0
	107	0	0

Subject to an equitable mortgage to John Edward Handcock, dated 20th February, 1888, and registered the 16th April, 1888, No. 83, Book 386, to secure three promissory-notes for £34 10s, £5 8s 4d, and £12 8s, and due respectively 18th April, 1888, 23rd May, 1888, and 16th June, 1888.
Terms cash.
CHARLES COWPER, Sheriff.
VILLENEUVE-SMITH AND DAWES, Plaintiff's Attorneys, 52, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

ORDER OF SALE.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 28, 1888.

WATKIN and WATKIN will offer at auction, in their Rooms, 313, Pitt-street, on the above date, at 11.30 a.m.,
The undermentioned properties, by order of the mortgagee.

LEWISHAM. Victoria-street, right at the railway station, a pretty Brick COTTAGE, with bay window, and containing hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, pantry, bathroom, verandahs front and back. Land 40ft. frontage, with a depth of 90ft.; lane at rear. Torrens' title.
Mr. A. J. Pope, Pitt-street, solicitor for mortgagees.

BALMAIN. No. Belmore-street, between Hancock and Evans streets, a two-story brick SHOP and DWELLING, with iron ..., and containing shop, 3 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, and stable; balcony, in front, side entrance; land 30ft. x 100ft.
Mr. A. Rofe, Elizabeth-street, solicitor for mortgagees.

Also, on account of the owner,
DRUMMOYNE PARK, Parramatta River. Lot 6, section 6, a splendid water frontage Block, having 50ft. frontage to St. Georges-crescent and 51ft. frontage to the water, with a depth of 153ft. on one side and 166ft. on the other. Torrens' title.

IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE MR. D. WILLIAMS.

B. D. MOREHEAD and CO. have been instructed by the Executors of the late Mr. D. Williams to sell privately,
That valuable city SITE, situated in Elizabeth-street, Brisbane, having 99 feet frontage to that street and 33 feet to a lane, containing 31 perches, more or less.
Also,
That grand piece of LAND at corner of Alice and Albert streets, Brisbane, having 132 feet frontage to the former street, and 74½ feet to the latter, and containing 36 perches, more or less.
For full particulars apply to B. D. MOREHEAD and CO., Mary-street; or to T. A. BOND, Queen-street, Brisbane.

Important Sale THIS AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock.
The Fifth and Last Day.
To Drapers, Dealers, and Others.
General Drapery, Millinery, Clothing, Mercery, Haberdashery, Fancy Goods, Boots and Shoes; also a quantity of Crockery, &c., &c.

O'BRIEN BROS. have been instructed to sell by auction, on the premises, corner of Elswick and Marion streets, Leichhardt.
Absolutely without reserve.
On SATURDAY next, September 1.

On the premises, Rocky Point-road, Carroll's Hill, Kogarah.
Lease and Goodwill of Refreshment-room, and Poultry Farm; also the whole of the Household Furniture, Horses, Carts, Dray, Harness, quantity of Poultry, 1000 Iron Gallon Tank, &c., &c.

O'BRIEN BROS., 81, Market-street, have received instruction from John Tait to sell by auction, on the above premises,
The above, without the slightest reserve.

To Builders, Contractors, and Others.
EIGHTH HALF-ANNUAL SALE of FIRST-CLASS TIMBER, DOORS, SASHES, MOULDINGS, CORRUGATED IRON, REGISTER GRATES, WIRE NAILS, &c.
Sale Day, TUESDAY, August 28, at 11 o'clock, corner of ENMORE-ROAD and STATION-STREET, NEWTOWN.

All Sizes of HARDWOOD and OREGON SCANTLING
T. G. and B. BALTIC FLOORING and LINING BOARDS
REDWOOD, COLONIAL PINE, SAWN LATHS
TURNED PICKETS, PALINGS, WEATHERBOARDS
SUGAR PINE and REDWOOD DOORS
SKIRTINGS, ARCHITRAVES, MOULDINGS
CORRUGATED IRON, WIRE NAILS, GUTTERING, &c.
Also, quantity of JOINERY, ZINC BATHS.

H. L. DUNN has received instructions from T. Phillips to sell the above by auction, on the premises, 50, Enmore-road, opposite Newtown Railway Station.
SALE DAY, TUESDAY, August 28, at 11 o'clock.
In lots to suit purchasers. TERMS AT SALE.

TUESDAY, 28th AUGUST.
at 11 a.m.

ATTRACTIVE SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
at
MEXICO, 298, PARK-ROAD, MOORE PARK,
the residence of
Mrs. JOLLY,
of the whole of her
VERY SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS,
comprising
CUT and ENGRAVED GLASSWARE
Best Quality ELECTRO-PLATED WARE
CHINAWARE and CUTLERY
HANDSOME DINING and DRAWING ROOM FURNITURE
Sweet-toned COTTAGE PIANOFORTE
BEDSTEADS and BEDDING of Best Quality
KITCHEN and LAUNDRY UTENSILS, &c.

WALTER BRADLEY has been favoured with instructions from Mrs. JOLLY to sell her
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,
WITHOUT RESERVE,
on
TUESDAY, August 28.

TERMS, NETT CASH.

CATALOGUES at the OFFICES of the AUCTIONEER, 81, PITT-STREET.

ON VIEW, MONDAY, 27th, from 10 to 5.

IN THE ESTATE of ERNEST ROYER, of 18, Campbell-street, Haymarket. In Bankruptcy.
TUESDAY, August 28, at 11 a.m.
On the Premises, 18, Campbell-street, Haymarket.
Under Instructions from the Official Assignee.
6 TONS OATEN HAY
6 DITTO LUCERNE DITTO, 2 TONS STRAW
CHAFF, BRAN, CORN, BARLEY, OATS
Peas, Chaff, Axle Grease, Empty Bags
3 AVERY'S WEIGHING MACHINES
4 PAIRS LARGE SCALES, 1 SPRING BALANCE
ENGINE and BOILER, 8-horse power
Chaffcutters, Cornecracker, Elevator, 4 Trucks, Shovels, &c. &c.
3 Upstanding HORSES, 3 CARTS, 3 Sets HARNESS.

OFFICE FURNITURE.
3 CHAIRS, STOOLS, COPYING PRESS
Telephone, Writing Table, Filter, Pigeon-holes, Clock
LARGE IRON SAFE (Milner's).

C. F. W. LLOYD and CO. will sell by auction on TUESDAY NEXT, at 11 a.m., the above, without reserve. TERMS, CASH.
Office: 126, Pitt-street, opposite Hoffnung and Co.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 29,
at 11 o'clock.

For POSITIVE SALE.

ON ACCOUNT AND RISK OF THE SHIPPERS.

Ex Richmond Hill, from London.

R R in Diamond over Sydney—
92. 1 case Boys' Sailor Suits and Men's Diagonal Trousers and Vests
93. 1 case 14-ends Worsted Coatings
94. 1 case 36 dozen Men's French Felt Hats
95. 1 case 35¼ dozen Ladies' Corsets, assorted qualities
96. 1 case Children's Overalls, Pinafores, Blouses, Aprons
97-8. 2 cases Ladies' Corsets (white and coloured)
99. 1 case Gent.'s Derby Scarfs, Silk Handkerchiefs, sashes
100. 1 case Pinafores, Cooking Aprons, Children's Frocks.

Also, a
LARGE ASSORTMENT of
Men's and Boys' Clothing, Shirts, Hats, Hosiery, Mercery
Underclothing, Manchester Goods, Linen Goods
Fancy Prints, Dress Stuffs, Millinery, Haberdashery
Boots and Shoes, Boots and Shoes.

TERMS LIBERAL AT SALE.

JAMES RODD and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 7, Wynyard-street, on WEDNESDAY next, August 29th, at 11 o'clock,
The above.

Full Particulars at Sale.

Auction Sales.

AUCTIONEERS' SPECIAL NOTICE.

TO LADIES and GENTLEMEN leaving the Colony, FAMILIES retiring from Housekeeping, TRUSTEES and EXECUTORS of Estates, &c., &c.

Messrs. HARRIS and ACKMAN desire to inform Ladies and Gentlemen leaving the colony, Families retiring from Housekeeping, Trustees and Executors of Estates, &c., that they are prepared to undertake Outdoor Sales of Household Furniture, &c., and will also make Cash Advances against the same without interest, and prepare Valuations and Inventories at the shortest notice.

A large and efficient Staff of Assistants, under the personal direction of a member of the Firm (with home and colonial experience), is engaged for the purpose of faithfully carrying out this particular branch of the business either in town or country.

All communications addressed to the undersigned will receive prompt attention.

HARRIS and ACKMAN,
Auctioneers and Valuators,
199, Pitt-street, Sydney.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

MONDAY, 27th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.
Ex Recent Arrivals.

BOOTS and SHOES,
All New and Seasonable Goods,
comprising
WOMEN'S Glace Side Springs
Ditto Slippers
Ditto Levant Balmorals
Ditto Court Shoes
Ditto Levant Shoes
GIRLS and BOYS' Levant Persian E.S.
Ditto Slippers
Ditto Levant E.S.
CHILDREN'S Levant Button Boots
Ditto Shoes, Strap and Button
Ditto Patent Calf Boots
MEN'S Slippers
Ditto Balmorals
Ditto Kid and Calf Boots
Ditto Colonial-made Boots, Nailed and Plain,
&c., &c. &c.

To Boot and Shoe Dealers, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL BY AUCTION, as above, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on MONDAY NEXT, 27th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

TUESDAY, 28th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Ex Lismore, from London.

PASSENGERS' SURPLUS STORES,
consisting of—
Preserved Meat, Soup, Fish, Pork, Beef, Biscuit
Oatmeal, Rice, Milk, Jam, Suet, Sugar, &c., &c., &c.

To Grocers, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL BY AUCTION, as above, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY NEXT, 28th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

TUESDAY, 28th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

On account of whom it may concern, with all faults.

Ex Dallam Tower, from London.

50 Casks Sacell's QUART PALE ALE
20 ditto ditto QUART STOUT.

To Wine and Spirit Merchants, Hotel Proprietors, Shippers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL BY AUCTION, as above, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY NEXT, 28th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

TUESDAY, 28th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

On account of whom it may concern. With all faults.

Ex Hereward, from London.
20 cases Bryant and May's PLAID VESTAS, Purple, each 12 gross.

Ex Blairgowrie, from London.
15 cases Bryant and May's PLAID VESTAS, Red, each 12 gross.

Ex Dallam Tower, from London.
25 cases 250s VESTAS.

To Grocers, Tobacconists, Storekeepers, Shippers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell BY AUCTION, as above, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY NEXT, 28th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

TUESDAY, 28th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Under Instructions from the Importers.

500 Bags and Mats COLONIAL SUGARS
12 Casks PRENTICE'S HAMS
3 Cases ENGLISH HAMS
1 Ditto ENGLISH BACON
200 Boxes PARAFFIN CANDLES, Invincible
22 Ditto Chocolate COQUETTES
18 Ditto Chocolate NOUGAT
100 Cases CURRANTS
300 Boxes SULTANAS
225 Cases SARDINES, halves and quarters
65 Boxes Plain PARAFFIN CANDLES, Eclipse Brand
100 Cases City of London WORCESTER SAUCE
10 Ditto PRESERVED GINGER
100 Ditto CONDENSED MILK
20 Ditto Crosse and Blackwell's ANCHOVIES
200 Boxes BATHBRICKS
60 Ditto HOUSEHOLD SOAP
200 Cases Black Horse JAR SALT
50 Ditto TOMATO SAUCE
100 Ditto American CANNED FRUITS
300 Tins Mixed CONFECTIONERY
50 Bags SAGO, each 1cwt.
2 Cases New Zealand TINNED MEATS
1½ Gross MAGNESIA
12 Ditto FULLER'S EARTH
100 Dozen GLYCERINE JELLY
50 Ditto CITRATE OF MAGNESIA
50 Ditto SEIDLITZ POWDERS, A. F.
20 Cases HALF-PINT KETCHUP
20 Quarter-casks PORT and SHERRY
10 Cases Three-star BRANDY
4 Cases FLASK BRANDY
92 Ditto Half-flask DITTO
9 Ditto Half-flasks with glass cups DITTO
90 Cases Sicard's FRENCH BRANDY, 1, 2, and 3 star
2 Quarter-casks DITTO, 1-star
1 Ditto ditto DITTO, 3-star
50 Cases OLIVE TREE GENEVA
24 Quarter-casks SCOTCH WHISKY
165 Cases DITTO
200 Ditto IRISH WHISKY
32 Ditto JAMAICA RUM
4 Ditto ANGOSTURA BITTERS
100 Ditto OLD TOM GIN
15 Ditto AMONTILLADO SHERRY
50 Ditto PINEAPPLE GIN
2 Hhds. BASS' ALE (job)
Also,
40 Hhds SHARP'S ALE (bulk stored at Maxwell and Vale's Bond).
&c., &c., &c.

To Grocers, Wine and Spirit Merchants, Hotel Proprietors, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY NEXT, 28th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

TUESDAY, 28th AUGUST,
at
half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

EXTENSIVE SALE BY AUCTION
of
SUPERIOR COLONIAL-MADE FURNITURE,
comprising—

CEDAR BOOKCASES, plate-glass doors, with Drawers and Cupboards
OFFICE TABLES and DESKS
EXTENDING DINING-TABLES, in Cedar
DINING-ROOM SUITES, upholstered in Morocco
CEDAR CHIFFONIER SAFES
KITCHEN TABLES, KITCHEN DRESSERS
Wire Wove Spring MATTRESSES
ELEGANT CEDAR and PINE BEDROOM SUITES
PINE and CEDAR WARDROBES, with bevelled plate-glass doors
Cedar and Pine CHESTS of DRAWERS, combination and portable
PAIRS TOILETS, in Pine and Cedar, with marble top
Single and Double WASHSTANDS, TOILET TABLES
LARGE SIDEBOARDS, in CEDAR, with bevelled plate-glass backs, and fitted with Drawers, Cellarettes, &c.
Cedar and Pine Chiffoniers
&c., &c., &c.

To Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Furniture Warehousemen, Commission Brokers, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will hold the above important sale BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY next, 28th AUGUST, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, 29th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Under instructions from the Importers.

50 dozen GALVANISED BUCKETS, 10 to 13in., A. F.
10 bales HORSE RUGS, canvas and jute, with surcingles
50 Rolls 4in. Mesh WIRE NETTING
5 Bales 5-ply SEAMING TWINE
1 Case CASH and LETTER BOXES
4 ditto KALKOLITH
1 ditto SIDE SADDLES
10 ditto MILLET BROOMS, assorted sizes
4 ditto KNIFEBOARDS
4 ditto SULPHATE of SODIUM
&c., &c., &c.

To Ironmongers, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY Next, 29th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, 29th AUGUST,
at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Under instructions from the Consignees.

Ex Dallam Tower, from London.

10 CASES PATENT MANGLES, WRINGERS, &c., &c.,
from the celebrated
Acme Machine Company, Glasgow,
comprising
THREE-ROLLER TABLE MANGLES, Nos. 5, 6, 7
TWO-ROLLER BOW SPRING MANGLES, Nos. 11 to 16
THREE-ROLLER MANGLES with BOW SPRINGS, Nos. 17 to 20
THREE-ROLLER MANGLES, Lever and Spring Pressure, Nos. 21 to 24
ICE CREAM FREEZERS, double action, 6, 8, and 10 quart
KNIFE and FORK CLEANERS
&c., &c.

To Ironmongers, Furniture Warehousemen, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 29th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, 29th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Ex Allonby, from London.

17 Bales CLOTHES LINES, 1½, 1, and ¾lbs.

To Ironmongers, Grocers, Storekeepers, Shippers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL by AUCTION as above, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY Next, 29th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

WEDNESDAY, 29th AUGUST,
at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION
of
CHOICE WATERCOLOUR DRAWINGS, OIL PAINTINGS, HANDSOME OLEOGRAPHS, RARE ENGRAVINGS.

Just Landed in excellent order,
ex Duke of Devonshire, from London.

This COLLECTION includes
the following new and popular subjects:—
"Half Afraid," "Grace Darling," "Affection," "The Huguenots," "Among the Ferns," "Brittany Sheep," "Betrayed," "Confidence," "Baby's Letter," "Courtship," "First Lesson," "Humility," "Happy Hours," "Night," "Overtasked," "No Thoroughfare," "Last Friend," "Nature," "Full Practice," "Look Before You Leap," "Bed Time," "Foraging Party," "Resignation," "Reprimand," "Rival Pets," "Remembered," "Seville," "School Days," "Sunshine," "Safe Quarters," "Siesta," "The Fight for the Standard," "The Last Kiss," "Kiss Me," "My Dog and I," "Dreams of Hope," "Mitre Tavern," "Shepherdess," "Louis XVI," "Moses in Midian," "For You, Miss,"
&c., &c., &c.

To Lovers of the Fine Arts, Picture Dealers, Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to SELL above SHIPMENT of PICTURES BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY next, 29th AUGUST, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

ON VIEW MORNING OF SALE.

TERMS AT SALE.

THURSDAY, 30th AUGUST,
at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Under instructions from the Importers.

Ex Otterspool, from London.

9 TIERCES GLASSWARE,
comprising—
6in. Dishes, 7in. Bowls, Salvers, Salts
Sweets, 11in. Dishes, 8in. Plates, Sugars and Covers
&c., &c., &c.

To Glass and China Warehousemen, Storekeepers, Shippers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL by AUCTION, as above, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY NEXT, 30th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

THURSDAY, 30th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

IMPORTANT TRADE SALE BY AUCTION
of
50 CASES JAPANESE ART PRODUCTIONS.

Landed in excellent order.
Ex Menmuir, s.s., from Hongkong.

The SHIPMENT comprises
CUPS and SAUCERS, Covered Jars, Imari Vases, Hibachi Vases
Tête-a-tête Sets, Egg Baskets, Paper and Silk Screens
SATIN SCREENS, Umbrellas, Crape Paper Lanterns
Lacquered Boxes, Toys, Fire Screens, Wooden Stands
Lacquered Stationery Cabinets, Metal-mounted Cabinets
Crumb Brushes and Trays, Crape Paper Handkerchiefs
Tortoise Shell Plates, Lamp Shades, Crape Pin-cushions
Menu Cards, Yakishime Vases, Celadon Vases
Kaga Cups and Saucers, Tea Jars, Strawberry Plates
Silk Dressing Gowns, Smoking Jackets, Silk Handkerchiefs
Lacquered Trays, Glove and Handkerchief Boxes, &c., &c.

To Trade Buyers, Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Fancy Repositories, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to SELL BY AUCTION, as above, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY NEXT, 30th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

THURSDAY, 30th AUGUST,
at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

SPLENDID COLLECTION
of
INDIAN TROPHIES of the CHASE and RARE CURIOS,
comprising—
TIGER, Bear, Leopard, and Sambar SKINS
JACKAL, Tiger Cub, Indian Wild Cat, and Spotted Deer SKINS
TIGER and LEOPARD CLAWS
NECKLACES of HONOUR, INDIAN COURT DRESSES,
&c., &c., &c.

To Furriers, Curio Collectors, Dealers, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to hold the above SELL by AUCTION, on THURSDAY Next, 30th AUGUST, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

ON VIEW MORNING OF SALE.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET,

FRIDAY, 31st AUGUST,
at 11 o'clock a.m.

SPLENDID DISPLAY
and
IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION
of
RICHLY-DECORATED CHINA,
HEAVILY CUT GLASSWARE,
&c., &c., &c.,
embracing

BREAKFAST and TEA SETS, in fine porcelain, highly embellished in gold and colours
DITTO, delicately painted tone colours, French China, &c.
DITTO, in splendid Worcester China, of beautiful patterns, Rose, Violet, Apple Blossom, &c.
MAGNIFICENT MINTON TEA and BREAKFAST SERVICES, in Blue Wreath, Pink Wreath, Brown Leaves, Maroon, Pink on Celeste Bands and Gold Lines, &c.
FANCY DESSERT SERVICES, with hand-painted Flowers, Foliage, Birds, &c., profusely gilt
DITTO, hand-painted Hunting Scenes and Landscape Centres, deep borders, &c.
HANDSOME TETE-A-TETE SERVICES, in fine porcelain
BEAUTIFUL DINNER SERVICES, Richly Gilt and Decorated, Blue, Eton, Peach, Heron, Dove, Delaware, &c.
DITTO, Fancy Patterns, Highly Enamelled and Richly Gilt
TOILET SERVICES, Single and Double, Decorated and Gilt, Cyprus, Ceres, and other well-known fashions and shapes
DITTO, in beautifully hand-painted French China
DITTO, Fancy Patterns, Enamelled and Gilt
ELEGANT SATIN VASES with raised flowers, decorated and gilt
DECORATED JARDINIERES, richly hand-painted Flower and Figure subjects, &c., &c.

TERRA COTTA JET VASES, Toilet requisites
ORNAMENTAL JUGS in Sets, Fancy Mounted Teapots
DOULTON FAIENCE, MAJOLICA WARE
Fancy Cheese Stands, Bread Dishes
SPLENDID SPECIMENS of ROYAL DERBY WARE, comprising VASES, TRINKET SETS, BUTTER DISHES, SARDINIERES
PORCELAIN FIGURES and PARIAN BUSTS of the World's Celebrities
Fine Crystal, Cut, and Engraved Glassware
Engraved Centres and Stands, Star pattern
ROSE DU BARRY and TURQUOISE LUSTRES, with hand-painted Medallion Centres, Cut Crystal Drops
Opal, Pink, White and Gold LUSTRES
CRYSTAL JUGS, engraved fern and flower patterns, plain and cut
MAGNIFICENT TABLE SUITES in cut crystal, richly engraved and cut
CRYSTAL BISCUIT BARRELS and BUTTER DISHES, with electro-silverplated mounts and covers
Best Engraved and Cut Tumblers
Bohemian Vases, Flower Tubes and Spills
CELERY VASES and STANDS, Cut and Engraved Decanters
Ornamental Filters in Doulton Ware
and
Numerous other FASHIONABLE LINES
eminently suitable for
TABLE and MANTEL DECORATIONS,
&c., &c., &c.

To Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Collectionists, Glass and China Warehousemen, Shippers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN are in receipt of instructions to arrange the above IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on FRIDAY Next, 31st AUGUST, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Catalogues are now in course of preparation, and will be obtainable at the OFFICES of the AUCTIONEERS.

ON VIEW THURSDAY, 30th AUGUST.

TERMS AT SALE.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

THE NEW AUCTION MART,
199, PITT-STREET.

FRIDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER, at 11 a.m.

MAGNIFCENT DISPLAY
and
IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION
of
57 CASES ELEGANT ART FURNITURE,
SUPERB OVERMANTELS,
&c., &c.,
Landed in excellent order.

Ex Loch Trool, from London.

Under instructions from
Mr. H. D. DAVIS.

This SHIPMENT has been personally selected by Mr. D. H. DAVIS, whose consignments are so favourably known for their superiority of workmanship, artistic design, and excellent taste, and for their suitability to this market.

The DRAWING-ROOM SUITES are of the latest and most fashionable designs, in elegantly-carved OCCASIONAL frames of various picked woods, covered with choice and delicate shades of figured silks, brocatelles, tapestries, &c., tastefully combined with plushes in harmonious colourings, and skilfully upholstered with HORSEHAIR. Special attention may be directed to the large assortment of fancy OCCASIONAL CHAIRS, which are executed with equal care.

The DINING-ROOM SUITES are manufactured with handsomely carved substantial frames of well-seasoned solid woods in AMERICAN WALNUT, OAK, and MAHOGANY, covered with specially selected skins, and faithfully upholstered with HORSEHAIR by experienced artisans, while the SIDEBOARDS to match are Richly Carved and Ornamented, with lofty bevelled Mirror-plated Backs, with side shelves, in the Early English style; also, elegant Overmantels, Extending Dining Tables, Dinner Waggons, &c., en suite

The BEDROOM SUITES embrace all sizes required either in the Mansion or Cottage, and attention is particularly invited to the Superior Work and Skill Displayed in their Manufacture and Finish.

To Furniture Warehousemen, Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Commission Agents, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN are in receipt of instructions from Mr. D. H. DAVIS to SELL BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on FRIDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock a.m.,
The ABOVE SHIPMENT of ELEGANT ART FURNITURE, &c.

DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUES will be obtainable at the OFFICES of the AUCTIONEERS.

The FURNITURE will be fully displayed for inspection on THURSDAY, 6th SEPTEMBER.

TERMS AT SALE.
, Full particulars in future issue.

THIS DAY, Saturday, at 10 o'clock.
Morocco Dining-room Suite, Austrian Furniture, Carpets
Centre, Telescope, Dining, and Office Tables, Overmantels
Bookcase, Plate-glass Sideboard, Rosewood Pianofortes
Whatnots, Bronze Vases, Claret Jugs, Cups, &c.
Brass-mounted Bedsteads, Wire Mattresses, Chests of Drawers
P.G. Wardrobes, Washstands and Sets, Glassware
Patent Mangles, Leamington Stove, Bicycle, Kitchen Utensils.

JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 274, Pitt-st., THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock, Furniture, as above.

To Storekeepers, Hawkers, Dealers, and others.
MONDAY NEXT, at 2 o'clock.
Men's Suits, Sac Coats, Serge Trousers and Vests
Regatta, White, and Coloured Shirts, Felt Hats
Hosiery, Braces, Handkerchiefs, Ties, Carpet Bags, &c.

JOHN P. LISTER has received instructions from Mr. J. Murphy (who is retiring from the business) to sell by auction, at his Rooms, 274, Pitt-street, MONDAY Next, at 2 o'clock,
Men's clothing, &c., as described above.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE.

On THURSDAY NEXT, at 11 o'clock.
On the Premises, 26, King-street.
Superior HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS,
comprising—
DRAWING,
DINING,
BED ROOM FURNITURE
Kitchen and Culinary Utensils.

JOHN P. LISTER has received instructions from Mrs. C. Newton (who is relinquishing housekeeping) to sell by auction, on the above Premises, THURSDAY Next, at 11 o'clock,
The whole of her superior household furniture and effects.
Full particulars in future issue.

THIS DAY, at 3.
BY AUCTION.
At the NEWTOWN PUBLIC MARKETS.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.
Cartage free after the sale.
Every kind of Furniture you want at this sale.
No Reserve.
Cartage free immediately after, or on Monday, to suit yourself.
CARTAGE FREE at this SALE.

EDWARD FRENCH will sell, at 3.
Office, Newtown Markets.

WEDNESDAY, 29th AUGUST.

SUGARS,
1000 BOXES GOUDAS,
GROCERIES,
OILMEN'S STORES,
PROVISIONS, &c.

FRASER and CO. will sell the above by auction, at the City Mart, on WEDNESDAY, 29th August, at 11 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 29.

At the City Mart, at 3 o'clock.

Shipment of 630 Bundles
MOULDINGS
ARCHITRAVES
SKIRTING, &c.,
Ex Zealandia,
By order of Messrs. Lorimer, Rome, and Co.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above.

WEDNESDAY, August 29th.

At the City Mart, at 11 o'clock.

B in Diamond.
1000 Boxes Extra GOUDA CANDLES, each 25lb.

On Account of whom it may concern.
More or Less Damaged.
Ex Otterspool.

By Order of the Consignees.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above.

Bulk may be inspected at our Rooms, sorted as per survey.

SATURDAY, 1st SEPTEMBER,
at 3 o'clock.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS
at
RAVENSBOURNE,

QUEENSCLIFFE, MANLY BEACH,
consisting of
BRUSSELLS CARPETS
and
TAPESTRY CARPETS,
quite new.
TUBULAR BEDSTEADS, SPRING MATTRESSES,
BEDDING, &c.
BILLIARD TABLE (medium size),
CHAIRS,
TABLES,
SIDEBOARD,
EASY CHAIRS, CANE CHAIRS,
COOKING UTENSILS, &c.

MILLS and PILE will sell by auction, on the Premises, Ravensbourne, Queenscliffe, Manly, on SATURDAY, the 1st September, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon,
The above
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.

TERMS CASH.

NEW SPRING DRAPERY AND CLOTHING.

On Account of London Shippers.

For Absolute Sale.

7 Cases WHITE CALICOS
2 Cases CRETONNES, NEW STYLES
4 Cases MEN'S and BOYS' CLOTHING
3 Cases FELT HATS
2 Cases BROCADE and LAWN HANDKERCHIEFS
3 Cases FANCY PRINTS.
Also,
16 Cases SHIRTS, HOSIERY
HATS, and MERCERY
BABYLINEN and UNDERCLOTHING.

KELLETT and ALFORD invite the attention of DRAPERS and COUNTRY STOREKEEPERS to their sale by auction of the above goods, at their Sale Rooms, 111, Pitt-street, NEXT TUESDAY, at 11 sharp.

Liberal terms, at sale.

CLEARING OUT SALE OF A LARGE BUTCHERING ESTABLISHMENT.

UNDER BILL OF SALE.

ON MONDAY NEXT, AT 3 O'CLOCK.

ELLIS and CO. have received instructions from the mortgagee to sell by auction, on the Premises occupied by Mr. T. Huntley, butcher, Kent-street, and Millers-road, Millers Point, on Monday next, 27th August, at 3 o'clock,
The whole complete plant of a large butchering establishment, including 3-horse power combined boiler and engine, sausage machine and filler, salting tubs, benches, hand pump, shop and gas fittings, scales, weights, steelyards, blocks, two butcher's carts, horses, harness, saddles, office fittings, iron safe, also lease and goodwill of business.

The above is a splendid business and a great opportunity for an energetic man.

FAT POULTRY.

A. VIDER will sell by auction, at his Room, 22, Erskine-street, THIS DAY, 25th,
Fat turkeys, roosters, and pullets, 11 a.m.

By order of the Curator of Intestate Estates.

A. VIDER will sell by auction, at his Mart, 22, Erskine-street, on MONDAY, 27th,
Large quantity of personal effects, portmanteaus, trunks
Also, 2 sextants, bedroom jugs and basins, &c.
11 a.m.

INTESTATE ESTATE of A. W. THOMPSON, Tailor, late of Blayney.

A. VIDER is instructed by the Curator of Intestate Estates to sell by auction, at his Mart, 22, Erskine-street, on WEDNESDAY, 29th August,
The stock and utensils of trade of a manufacturing tailor, consisting of tweeds, doeskins, longcloths (all lengths), linings, trimmings, mercery, smoothing-irons, boards, personal effects, books (various), music, field-glass, and a sewing-machine. In lots to suit purchasers.
Sale, 11 a.m. No reserve.

AUCTIONEERS' SPECIAL NOTICE.

MOST IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION.

THE BANKRUPTCY (Ireland) AMENDMENT ACT, 1872.

THOMAS BURGESS a BANKRUPT. } SALE BY ORDER of the IRISH BANKRUPTCY COURT.

Messrs. TUTHILL, GEOGHEGAN, and PERRY, of 19, Queen-street, Melbourne, Solicitors, acting under special order of the IRISH BANKRUPTCY COURT, have instructed the undersigned to sell by auction
THIS VERY VALUABLE PROPERTY,
for the benefit of the Bankrupt's creditors.

Acting under the above instructions,
Messrs. LAWSON and BROUGHTON
would direct the attention of Ladies and Gentlemen furnishing in good Taste, Lovers of Ancient Art, China Collectors, and those in search of good pictures, &c.,
to the
MOST IMPORTANT and HIGHLY INTERESTING SALE
by
PUBLIC AUCTION,
to be held
ON WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 29th, at 11 a.m.,
at
THEIR ROOMS, 333, GEORGE-STREET.

Under Instructions from
Messrs. TUTHILL, GEOGHEGAN, and PERRY,
acting under order and power of attorney from
THE IRISH BANKRUPTCY COURT.

The Property to be sold embraces
A MAGNIFICENT COLLECTION
of
RARE and VALUABLE EFFECTS,
ART TREASURES,
which originally adorned
THE ANCIENT MANSIONS IN IRELAND
of
The late EARL of SHANNON, Castle Martyr, County Cork
The late Sir THOMAS TOBIN, Ballincollig House, County Cork
The late Hon. ST. JOHN BUTLER, Donabate Manor, County Dublin
The late Sir GEORGE RIPTON, County Wicklow

THE FURNITURE
is chiefly in the early French, Irish, and English tastes, including Chippendale work, in choice condition.

The Grand Range of
DRAWING and BOUDOIR ROOMS,
furnished in the early French taste, and brought over to Ireland after the Revolution of 1789,
include
A VERY ELEGANT SUITE
of
ANCIENT CARVED and GILT FURNITURE
BEAUTIFUL MOSAIC CABINETS
HANDSOME OLD-PAINTED SATINWOOD CABINETS
A TRULY RARE and HANDSOME CABINET PIANOFORTE EUPHONICON, the case beautifully finished and painted in satinwood
RANGES of COSTLY SILK WINDOW HANGINGS, made expressly in Irish Silk Poplins.

THE GALLERY PAINTINGS,
supposed to be
CHIEFLY BY THE GREAT OLD MASTERS,
embrace
Family and Historical Portraits, stated and believed to be by Sir P. Lely, Wyssing, Sir Joshua Reynolds, Sir Godfrey Kneller, and Romney.

Also,
GRAND GALLERY WORKS,
stated and reputed to be
by
P. P. Rubens, Andrea Vaccaro, Wenix Guido, and Canaletto.

All the Rare Old
ENGLISH, IRISH, and CONTINENTAL PORCELAINS,
which include
NOBLE SPECIMENS of the CERAMIC ART,
&c., &c.

A COLLECTION of ENAMELS,
wrought in precious metal,
THE VALUE of WHICH CANNOT be OVER-ESTIMATED,
comprising—
A CIRCULAR DISH, 20in. in diameter, fitted with 22 plaques, painted in compartments of figure subjects, with rich scroll decorations in relief, resting on circular rim
A MAGNIFICENT VASE IN THE FORM OF A BIRD, arranged with lifting top, supporting figure of seated Cupid resting on sexagon base, standing 28in. high; the whole enamelled and painted in 20 panels, in subjects chiefly from Mythology
THE COMPANION BEAUTIFUL VASE
A NOBLE CLOCK of TURRET FORM, showing four dials, supported by Corinthian columns, surmounted by figures, the centre arranged with four large plaques, painted in different subjects, decorated at the angles with pillars and figures, supported by a square plinth 22in. high
A SPLENDID PAIR of VASES, each arranged with 12 panels, artistically painted, the ends decorated with masks and dragons, standing 18in. high.
A HANDSOME CABINET or BOUDOIR CASKET, arranged with two doors, enclosing trinket drawers; the whole fitted and decorated with several plaques of enamel
A VERY BEAUTIFUL PAIR of VASES, of cornucopia form, in the same exquisite finish
A HANDSOME PAIR of VASES, of graceful design, delicately painted in panels of figure subjects
It is impossible within the limits of an advertisement to give anything approaching an adequate description of the beauty, the graceful design, and exquisite finish of these truly rare and wonderful works of art. The artistic skill and care of the great ARTIST, BOHN, of VIENNA, as shown in the delicate painting of the various panels and plaques, cannot fail to meet with the admiration and appreciation of all lovers of high art.
MAGNIFICENT CABINET, WROUGHT in SOLID IVORY, front arranged with doors enclosing small drawers, the angles fitted with columns in LAPISLAZULI, surmounted by a timepiece, the whole standing on a table of solid ivory, decorated and adorned with 120 plaques of ENAMEL, artistically painted in figure subjects, and forming a most lovely work of art
A Collection of Old Worcester China, very rare, bearing the square mark; each piece guaranteed
Collection of Old Chelsea China; each piece guaranteed
SUPERIOR OLD SILVER-EDGED PLATED WARE
SEVERAL HUNDRED OUNCES of STERLING SILVER PLATE,
&c., &c.

LAWSON and BROUGHTON have been favoured with instructions from Messrs. TUTHILL, GEOGHEGAN, and PERRY (acting under order and power of Attorney from the Irish Bankruptcy Court) to sell by public auction, in THEIR ROOMS, 333, GEORGE-STREET, ON WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 29th, at 11 o'clock,
The above-mentioned
MAGNIFICENT COLLECTION
of
ART TREASURES.

, On VIEW at the ROOMS of the AUCTIONEERS, 333, GEORGE-STREET, on TUESDAY, August 28, from 10 o'clock a.m. to 5 o'clock p.m.

, CATALOGUES OBTAINABLE at the ROOMS on APPLICATION.

, DAY OF SALE, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 29th, at 11 a.m.

ARNCLIFFE-ROAD, COOK'S RIVER.

On
TUESDAY, AUGUST 28th,
at 11 o'clock a.m.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION
at
ROSEBROOK,
ARNCLIFFE-ROAD, COOK'S RIVER
(near the Arncliffe Railway Station and the Cook's River Dam).

Under Intructions from
Mrs. M'INNES,
on account of the Property having been purchased by the Government,
of the
WHOLE OF THE
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS,
comprising—
MASSIVE MAHOGANY HALL FURNITURE
Barometer and Thermometer, by Pastorelli and Co.
Single-barrelled Gun, Case of Pistols, &c.
Superior LIBRARY BOOKCASE, in Walnut
Comfortable LOUNGE COUCH, Upholstered in Tapestry
First-class KNEE-HOLE WRITING TABLE
Large MAHOGANY ENCLOSED PRESS
BORDERED BRUSSELS CARPETS
WALNUT DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, upholstered in silk and wool tapestry, comprising high and low ended Couch, 2 Easy Chairs, 6 small Chairs
LARGE ITALIAN WALNUT SHAPED LOO TABLE
ELEGANT WALNUT CABINET WHATNOT
Walnut Canterbury Whatnot
HANDSOME PIANOFORTE, in highly-finished ebonised and gold case, an instrument of powerful tone, and in splendid order, by ROESNER
HANDSOME MAHOGANY SIDEBOARD, with carved back, fitted with cellarette and drawers
MAHOGANY DINING-ROOM SUITE, upholstered in marone morocco leather, consisting of comfortable Couch, large Easy Chair, and 6 small Chairs
SUPERIOR MAHOGANY DINING TABLE, fitted with patent screw, .0ft. long when fully extended
HANDSOME GILT PIER GLASS
ENCLOSED CEDAR DINNER WAGGON
BREAKFAST-ROOM FURNITURE, IN CEDAR, comprising,
SMALL ENCLOSED CEDAR SIDEBOARD
8ft. EXTENSION DINING TABLE
COUCH and 10 CHAIRS, upholstered in haircloth.

The Contents of
SEVERAL BED-CHAMBERS, including
SUPERIOR WARDROBES, CHESTS of DRAWERS
BLACK and BRASS BEDSTEADS and BEDDING
COMFORTABLE BEDROOM COUCH
&c., &c.

Also,
KITCHEN and LAUNDRY FURNITURE
FIRST-CLASS MANGLE
TIPCART, Lot of HARNESS, GARDEN TOOLS
BUILDING MATERIAL, BRICKS, Iron Verandah Posts
&c., &c.

And
FAMILY SOCIABLE,
in good order,
built by Vial and Son.
BAY BUGGY HORSE.

LAWSON and BROUGHTON have been favoured with instructions from Mrs. M'INNES to sell by auction, on TUESDAY, AUGUST 28, at 11 a.m., at her residence, ROSEBROOK, ARNCLIFFE-ROAD, COOK'S RIVER,
The whole of her
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.

WITHOUT RESERVE.

ON VIEW MONDAY, August 27, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

CATALOGUES obtainable at the offices of the Auctioneers, 333, GEORGE-STREET, and at THE RESIDENCE.

ROSEBANK is within five minutes' walk of the Arncliffe railway station. Trains leave Redfern at 9 o'clock and 10.30 o'clock a.m.

COOK'S RIVER 'BUS from Wynyard-square to Cook's River Dam every half-hour.

UNION TERMINATING BUILDING SOCIETY, 34, Market-st.—No preferential shares. Bona-fide investmt.

On MONDAY NEXT, 27th INSTANT,
at 11 o'clock sharp.

TO CHINA, GLASS, EARTHEN, and FURNITURE WAREHOUSEMEN, COUNTRY BUYERS, &c.

ENTIRELY UNRESERVED OPEN SALE
of
15 PACKAGES
of
CHOICE LINES
in
SETS OF JUGS,
in Band and Gold, Hand-painted, &c.

TEA and BREAKFAST SERVICES
in assortment.

DINNER and DESSERT SERVICES, &c.

TEAPOTS, BLACK and GOLD, HAND-PAINTED, &c.

FANCY CHINAWARE and GLASSWARE.

Just Landed, ex Haddon Hall.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed by the shippers to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, on MONDAY Next, 27th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,
15 packages of the above.

Opened out in lines for unreserved sale.

TERMS AT SALE.

On TUESDAY NEXT, 28th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp.

TO IRONMONGERS, FURNISHING WAREHOUSEMEN, CUTLERS, DEALERS, &c.

EXTENSIVE UNRESERVED SALE
of
MOSELEY'S TABLE CUTLERY, CARVERS
POCKET and TABLE CUTLERY, SCISSORS
WALKER'S HORSE NAILS, TACKS in Boxes
KITCHEN FENDERS, COAL VASES, SLOP PAILS
COUNTER, TEA, and ITALIAN TWINES, CLOTHES LINES
3 and 5 PLY SEAMING and ROPING TWINE
&c., &c.

Also,
On Account of Whom it May Concern,

WITH ALL FAULTS, IF ANY,

S.B.&Co.,
1277, 1268, 1281, 1286—4 Cases MILLET BROOMS.

Ex Buttermere.

NO RESERVE WHATEVER.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY next, 28th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,
An extensive consignment of the above.

NO RESERVE.
Terms at sale.

On WEDNESDAY next, 29th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp.

TO WHOLESALE and RETAIL GROCERS, WINE and SPIRIT MERCHANTS, SHIPCHANDLERS, &c.

An Extensive Consignment
of
140 Cases BANNOCKBURN WHISKY, in bond
200 Cases CLARETS
63 Cases HOP BITTERS, d.p.
100 Cases BURGOYNE SAUCES
40 Cases Delcene's HAIR OILS
150 Half-Chests BREAKFAST CONGOU
19 Casks CARBONATE of SODA
100 Boxes SOAP
800 Bags FIJI WHITE SUGARS
25 Cases MILLER'S BLACKING, in tins; and Sundry Lines in Groceries.

WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY next, 29th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,
The above.

NO RESERVE.
Terms at sale.

On THURSDAY next, 30th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp.

TO WAREHOUSEMEN, DRAPERS CLOTHIERS, MERCERS, COUNTRY STOREKEEPERS, &c.

Extensive Unreserved Sale
of
GENERAL DRAPERY
in
OXFORD and FLANNELETTE SHIRTINGS, LINEN DIAPERS
GALATEA STRIPES, FRENCH CASHMERES
PLAIN and TWILLED WHITE SHEETINGS, LINENS
LACE CURTAINS, QUILTS, TOWELS
GREY CALICOS, SHEETINGS, LONGCLOTHS
MEN'S SUPER HOSIERY, BRACES, UNDERSHIRTS
WHITE and OXFORD SHIRTS, FELT HATS
MEN'S and BOYS' CLOTHING, &c.

Just Landed, ex steamer Richmond Hill.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed by the shippers to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY next, 30th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,
An extensive consignment of the above.

NO RESERVE.

TERMS AT SALE.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

TO WHOLESALE and RETAIL CHINA, GLASS, and EARTHENWARE BUYERS, COUNTRY STOREKEEPERS, DEALERS, &c.

On FRIDAY NEXT, 31st INSTANT,
at 11 o'clock sharp.

UNRESERVED BULK SALE
of
340 PACKAGES
of
EARTHENWARE, CHINAWARE, and GLASSWARE.

Just landed ex Macleod, Dallam Tower, Haddon Hall, &c.

ALL WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.

The consignment consists of
EARTHENWARE—
Dishes, in all sizes, blue lined, willow pattern
Plates, all sizes, in rice, soup, and flat
Bakers, in great assortment
Ewers and Bowls, in C. C., printed, sponge, &c.
Toilet Sets, in servants', band and line, printed, enamel and gilt
Bed and Slipper Pans and Commode Pans
Jugs, in sets in granite, band and line, silver enamelled, diced, &c.
Pudding Bowls, Mugs, Chambers
Hot-water Plates, assorted
CHINAWARE, in W. and G., blue figured, celeste assortments, Irish Teas and Saucers
GLASSWARE, in plain and cut Nobblers, Ales, Sodas, Butters, and Sugars, &c.

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An extensive consignment
of
340 packages of the above.

NO RESERVE WHATEVER.

TERMS AT SALE.

CLEARING-OUT SALE BUILDERS and CONTRACTORS' YARD.

LENEHAN and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, on the Ground, corner Sussex and Bathurst streets, on TUESDAY next, August 28th, at 11 o'clock,
A grand lot building materials, consisting box frames, joisting, scantling, grates, mantelpieces, window-sashes, windows, doors, gates, signboards, venetian shutters, 3000ft lining boards, 2000 Oregon flooring, T. and G., 400-gallon tanks, 20 window sills, 12 sink stones, water and gas pipes, skylights, iron columns, slates, 5000 sheets new galvanised iron, a large lot sundries, &c., &c.

Terms, cash. No reserve, as every lot must be sold to clear the ground for other buildings. LENEHAN and CO.,
41, Goulburn and George streets.

THE Stock, Fittings, and Fittings of the Chemist's Business, 331, George-street,
will be sold by auction, on WEDNESDAY, 29th instant.
For particulars see Monday's paper.

F. L. BARKER will sell by auction, at his Stores, at 9.30, Horns, Bones, &c., and Greenskins at 10 o'clock.

ANNUAL STUD SHEEP SALES, 1888.

PURE VERMONT EWES.

FISKEN, VALENTINE, and CO. will sell, at the Wool Stores of the Australasian Mortgage and Agency Company, Limited, Collins-street West, Melbourne, on
FRIDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER,
on account of the Executors of the late
James Winter, Dhurringile,
11 pure four-tooth maiden ewes, bred at Dhurringile, by imported Vermont ram Bonanza, out of imported and Dhurringile-bred Vermont ewes.
All registered in the New York States "Register," and of the celebrated Atwood blood.
For further particulars apply to
FISKEN, VALENTINE, and CO.,
117, Collins-street West, Melbourne;
Lydiard-street, Ballarat.

ANNUAL STUD SHEEP SALES, 1888.

FISKEN, VALENTINE, and CO. beg to inform breeders and buyers of high-class stud sheep that they will offer for public competition, at the annual sales in Melbourne, on
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7,
at 11 o'clock a.m. precisely,
at the Stores of the Australasian Mortgage and Agency Company, Limited, Collins-street West,
PURE MERINOES
and
LONGWOOLS
from some of the most famous flocks in Victoria,
including drafts from
Sir Samuel Wilson, Ercildoune
Sir Samuel Wilson, Mount Bute
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Messrs. Beggs Bros., Eurambeen
Messrs. Russell and Co., Barunah Plains
Charles Ayrey, Esq., Warranooke
Executors late James Winter, Dhurringile
Executors late John Wilson, Gala
Thomas Bath, Esq., Ceres
Messrs. Forsyth Bros., Croxton, West Hamilton
Colin M'Culloch, Esq., Mertoun Park
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John Christie, Esq., Garvald Vale
Andrew Hermiston, Esq., Evansford.
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117, Collins street West, Melbourne;
Lydiard-street, Ballarat.

C. P. HUMPHRIS and CO. will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour, at 9.30, Hay, straw, chaff, &c.

TRADE NOTICE.

GEORGE MAIDEN (for R. Goldsbrough and Co., Limited, will sell by auction, at Homebush, on MONDAY, 27th August, at 11 o'clock,
800 prime fat wethers, for Mrs. C. Murray, Tara
400 ditto ditto ditto, for H. Murray, Esq.
350 ditto ditto ditto, for S. Mears, Esq., Dick's Camp
200 ditto ditto ditto, for R. Simpson, Esq.

GRIFFITHS and WEAVER have received instructions to sell by auction, at Homebush, on MONDAY next, 27th instant,
75 prime lucerne-fed bullocks, for Edward White, Esq., from Martindale
2000 prime fat wethers, from Messrs. J. F. and H. White, from Bando
1600 ditto ditto ditto, for J. Sullivan, Esq., from Man Creek.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, will sell by public auction, THIS DAY, Saturday, the 25th instant, at 10 o'clock,
BUTCHERS' GREEN SHEEPSKINS. Terms, CASH.

FAT STOCK
for
MONDAY.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited (through their auctioneer, Thomas Dransfield), will sell at the Homebush Saleyards, on MONDAY, the 27th August, 1888, at 11 o'clock,
150 prime fresh bullocks, Hon. Henry Moses, Comadello
50 prime fresh bullocks, Messrs. J. and G. Williams, Tyreel
2800 prime fat sheep, Messrs. Scott and Co., Terala.

TRADE NOTICE.

HOMEBUSH, MONDAY, 27th August, 1888.

HILL, CLARK, and CO. will sell at Homebush, on MONDAY, 27th instant,
230 prime fat cattle, for Messrs M'Donald and Alexander
800 ditto sheep, for E. B. Woodhouse, Esq., Mount Gilead.

FAT STOCK FOR MONDAY'S SALE.

JOSEPH LEEDS and CO. will sell by auction, at the Homebush Saleyards, on MONDAY next, at 11 o'clock,
10 prime fat cattle, for J. C. Ryrie, Esq., Weemabah
2500 ditto ditto sheep, for Messrs. Walsh, Elliott, and Co., Oriel
1750 ditto ditto ditto, for Thos. Dent, Esq., Wangrawally
300 ditto ditto ditto, for Western Agents.

FAT CATTLE and SHEEP.

HOMEBUSH, MONDAY NEXT, at 11 o'clock.

PITT, SON, and BADGERY, Limited, will sell by auction, as above,
204 prime fat cattle, for Messrs. E. Vickery and Sons, Mungyera
208 ditto ditto ditto, for Messrs. Thomas Cook and Co.
18 ditto ditto ditto, for Mr. H. Allen
1500 ditto ditto wethers, for Messrs. Dangar Brothers, Mooki Springs
1500 ditto ditto ditto, for Walhallow Estate
300 ditto ditto ditto, for Southern Agents.

TRADE NOTICE.

WILKINSON and LAVENDER will sell, at the Municipal Yards, Homebush, on MONDAY, 27th instant, at usual hours,
130 prime fat cattle, for H. Brown, Esq., ex rail Severn.

OPPENHEIM BUGGY.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from J. C. Goodwin, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, on MONDAY next, at 12 o clock,
Hooded Oppenheim buggy, in first-class order.

FENNELLA.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. J. Cook to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, on MONDAY next, at 12 o'clock,
Bay mare Fenella, quiet to ride.
Full particulars at sale.

Drapery, Haberdashery, &c

HORDERN AND COMPANY.

THE NEW SHOP, THE FAVOURITE SHOP,
486, 488, 490, GEORGE-STREET, SYDNEY,
NEXT ROYAL ARCADE,
OPPOSITE CENTRAL MARKETS,
Between PARK and MARKET STREETS.

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NEW and FASHIONABLE FABRICS now showing in our PRINT and DRESS DEPARTMENTS.

A large variety to select from.

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New Materials just opened, pretty, effective, and CHEAP.

Our DRESSMAKING CHARGES will be found most REASONABLE, combined with perfect fit.

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Special Purchase of PRINTS,
A splendid cloth, fast colours, 2¼d, 2¾d, 2½d, 2¾d per yard.

CRUM'S CELEBRATED PRINTS, 3¼d, 3½d, 3¾, 3¾d per yard.

ZEPHYRS, ZEPHYRS, ZEPHYRS.
A wonderful line of ZEPHYRS,
in a hundred different patterns, 3¼d, 3½d, 3¾d, 3¾d per yard, a really good cloth.

The better qualities in ZEPHYRS are 6d, 7½d, 10½d, to 1s 6d.

DRILLETTES, 3¼d, 3½d.

CAMELINES, 6¼d, 6¾d.

CASHMERETTES, 6¼d, 8¼d, 1s.

COTTON SURAHS, 7½d and 1s.

DRESS DEPARTMENT.

ESMERALDA STRIPES, 25in. wide, 1s per yard.

MELANGE CLOTH, 25in., 1s 3d.

SUMMER SERGES, in all the newest stripes, 45in. wide, 1s 6d.

INDIAN BEIGE STRIPES, 45in., 1s 6d.

TENNIS SERGE STRIPES, 36in., 1s 11d.

FRENCH BEIGES, PLAIN and STRIPED, 45in.

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The
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The strictest examiner may try every test of touch and sight without discovering that these are other than Lu Genoa Velvets, which they so closely resemble, while the peculiar arrangements resulting in the fast woven pile enable them to stand interminable and rough wear, which would ruin real velvets at four times the price.

LUSTROUS SILK FINISH, equal to VELVET, &c.

ORIENTAL BLUE BLACK and 50 lovely Shades

UNRIVALLED FOR RICHNESS OF COLOUR AND DRAPERY.

INEXPENSIVE—Gives universal satisfaction.

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Every yard of the genuine bears the name "Louis." The wear is guaranteed from cheapest quality to best.

Ask for "LOUIS" VELVETEEN, and do not be persuaded into buying inferior makes. Request your draper to procure samples if "LOUIS" is not kept in stock.

GENTLEMEN'S LATEST STYLES.—Those about to order a suit should favour us with a trial. We find our garments equal to the first London firms. Kindly note our name—
W. HOWES and SONS, Tailors (only), 133, King-street, 2 doors below Daily Telegraph Office.

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Outdoor Sales conducted on the most reasonable terms and valuations made.

ALEXANDER MOORE and CO.,
Auctioneers, Valuators, Furniture Brokers, and Importers,
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W. W. CAMPBELL, Wholesale CABINETMAKER, UPHOLSTERER, BEDDING MANUFACTURER, and General Importer, Nos. 211 and 213, Castlereagh-street, next to St. George's Church, and near corner of Bathurst-street, Sydney.

FOR SALE, cheap, 3 good Bedsteads and Bedding, Washstands and Sets. 127, Gipp-street, Surry Hills.

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The FINEST REMEDY for COUGHS, COLDS, &c., is CONGREVE'S BALSAMIC ELIXIR.
In bottles 1s 1½d, 2s 9d, 4s 6d, and 11s
Prepared by G. T. CONGREVE, Combe Lodge, Peckham, London, and Sold by all the best medicine houses in the colonies.

Auction Sales.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, at 3 o'clock sharp.
UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE OF Elegant PIANO, Drawing-room, Dining-room, and Bedroom FURNITURE, Kitchen Utensils, and Sundries.
J. B. TAYLOR and CO. will sell by auction THIS DAY, Saturday, August 25, at 3 o'clock, at their Paddington Auction Mart, 470, Oxford-street, Paddington, The above.
No reserve. Terms, cash.

Stock and Stations.

FOR PRIVATE SALE, on UARAH STATION, near WAGGA WAGGA.
5000 EWES, 4-tooth
5000 EWES, 6-tooth
10,000
These Sheep are dry, in good condition, and well-woolled.
For particulars apply to HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, Macquarie-place, Sydney, or to CAMPBELL, ARMSTRONG, and CO., Geelong, Victoria.

FOR SALE, COW, very excellent milker, close to calving, used to town. Apply at Valetta, Watson's Bay.

COW.—For SALE, a first-class family COW, newly calved. J. Edwards, Gardener's-lane, Botany.

STORE CATTLE.—1500 Head, under 6, over 3, deliverable Bourke or in truck. C. Bate and Co., 208, Pitt-st.

Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE, elegant Pony Phaetons, Family Sociables, single and double seat Buggies, various patterns, superior manufacture and finish, at O'BRIEN'S Eagle Coach Factory, 121, Castlereagh-street, City.

FOR SALE, FURNITURE, privately, all the week, at auction prices. Cartage free. French's, Markets.

FOR SALE, CHEST of DRAWERS, £1 1s. French, Newtown Markets.

FOR SALE, FURNITURE, new and second-hand, grand assortment. French, Newtown Markets.

NEWTOWN Markets, Newtown Markets.—All goods bought at auction delivered free, and without delay.

FOR SALE, 7 Restaurant Dining TABLES, turned legs, cheap. French's, Newtown Markets.

FOR SALE, BAGATELLE BOARD, for counter use, new, £2. French's, Newtown Markets.

FOR SALE, Stereoscope with views, walnut case, grand thing, £5, worth £12. Office, Newtown Markets.

FOR SALE, Alexandre HARMONIUM, 3 stops, £5; really good. Office, Newtown Markets.

FOR SALE, BOOKCASE, £3. Office, Newtown Markets.

FOR SALE, a large ORGAN, 6 barrels, 42 tunes. Office, Newtown Markets.

FOR SALE, PIANO, £30, cost £100. Office, Newtown Markets.

FOR SALE, Bedsteads, Bedding, Chairs, Washstands and Ware, every kind of Furniture, cheapest anywhere.

FOR SALE, Box SPRING-CART, large size, £5, good order, French's, Newtown Markets.

FOR SALE, single BEDSTEAD and Bedding complete, 11s. French's, Newtown Markets.

ARE WE NEVER TO BE PRODUCERS? Will you REST CONTENT with getting all you want from Foreigners, while your own countrymen can get nothing to do!

Then VOTE FOR PROTECTION, and have a CHANGE from his SUICIDAL FREE TRADE POLICY.

FOR SALE, Galvanic BATTERY, £1 12s 6d. French's, Newtown Markets.

FOR SALE, very large TANK, £1 12s 6d. French, Newtown Markets.

FOR SALE, WARDROBES, plate-glass fronts, £4 and £5. French, Newtown Markets.

AUSTRALIANS, whether by birth or adoption, be men; don't lose your heads in considering a side issue—the Chinese question.

The agitation about the CHINESE is only a get-up to divert you from dwelling on the harm Free-trade is doing you and the country. One merchant takes more out of the country annually than hundreds of Chinamen, and, depend upon it, any difficulty with these poor patient drudges will be easier to grapple with than a hand to hand conflict between capitalists and workers.

Will you be instrumental in encouraging white slavery? That is what it will come to if this ruinous free trade policy is to be allowed to exist.

Will you pauperise yourselves and your families by following men rabid about the Chinese apparently—though only apparently—so that you may support them and secure the continuance of free trade, which pays moneyed men best! Australian pauperism will rival English pauperism if it continues. Where are your industries? What is to give employment to your children? Will you let the merchants coin money out of your necessities by letting goods free into your ports that could very well be manufactured here? Think of it, workers, for your own sakes, for the sake of your families, and when the time comes, send the foreign traders to the wall. Have a change. Try the policy that makes Victoria so prosperous. Anyway, you can't be worse off, and are sure of work with protected industries.

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RICKCOVER (thoroughly waterproof, very durable, and cheap). Tents, Flys, Tarpaulins, Hammocks, Water Bags; Canvas, 2ft., 3ft., 4ft., 6ft. wide; Seaming Twine. GOLDSTEIN, Tent and Tarpaulin Maker, 231, Lower George-street.

OILSKIN CLOTHING for men and boys; Oilskin Sheeting for Invalids and for wrappers, Waterproof Covers for horses, carts, merchandise, &c.; cheap. GOLDSTEIN, Government Contractor, Oilskin Maker, &c., 231, Lower George-st.

PASSENGERS per P. and O., Orient Line, and German Lloyd steamers can obtain for a few shillings a thorough outfit for the home voyage. GOLDSTEIN, Government Contractor and General Outfitter, 231, Lower George-street.

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FOR SALE, quantity of Picture MOULDING. Apply Walker, corner Union and Pyrmont streets, Pyrmont.

MR. BIDDLE, 135, George-st. West, gives the highest price, Ladies or Gent.'s Left-off Clothing. Letters.

OFFICE DESK, also Fittings, Press, Iron Safe 2 x 3, for SALE cheap. W. F. Thirgood, Pitt and Park streets.

TO DRAFTSMEN.—Drawing TABLE, 4ft. 6in. x 6ft. x 9in., with 3 drawers, for sale. 14, Wynyard-square.

LEFT-OFF Clothing, ladies or gents., large or small quantities. Mrs. Hingston, 104, Regent-street, Redfern.

TO Officers and Others.—For Sale, 2 Aldershot Camp Folding Bedsteads, complete. Consignee, Herald.

FANCY Costumes.—Wanted to Hire Character Costumes skating carnival. Price, &c., A. B. C., Millthorpe, G. W. Line.

UNITED STATES GOLD COIN for SALE, 500 DOLLARS. Address Cheap, G. P. O.

FOR SALE, one first-class Merchant's SAFE, by John Tann of London, 2 doors, double locks, bank treasury, height 60in, width 42in., depth 26in., weight of safe 18cwt. 0qr. 5lb.; price, £76, fitted with drawers complete; also, one first-class SAFE, by Valentine and Butler, alum patent; size, depth 2ft., width 2ft. 6in., and height 3ft. 6in. Price, £15.
JEREMIAH MURPHY, Kent and Liverpool streets.

FOR SALE, cheap, second-hand Iron SAFE. 132, Riley-street, Woolloomooloo.

LEFT-OFF Clothing, ladies' and gent's, 50 per cent. over other dealers. Letter Mr. or Mrs. White, 362, Pitt-st.

FOR SALE, 3 Cedar GLASS-CASES. Apply Nicholls, Charlotte-street, Ashfield.

LEGHORN EGGS for SALE, pure white and brown, 5s per clutch. Apply H. D., Minto.

INCUBATORS for SALE, very cheap, "Petaluma," Hearson, and Christy, all sizes, nearly new. H. D., Minto.

SPLENDID D.B. B.L. GUN, 12 bore, top action, rebounding locks, with leather case and implements complete, never been used, sacrifice for £8 10s the lot; cost more than double; a bargain. W. Pardy, 557, Bourke-street, Surry Hills.

TO AERATED Water Makers and Others.—American Marble Dust for Sale. Washington H. Soul and Co., Pitt-st.

BICYCLE, new, Rapid, rear-driving, safety Bicycle for SALE. W. M. Palmer, 75, York-street.

JUBILEE SIXPENCE for SALE. Address J. Crofts, news agent, 95, William-street.

BLACK Spanish EGGS, 10s per clutch, good strain, guaranteed fertile. E. W. Jenkin, Ferry-rd., Glebe Point.

CANARIES, good singing birds, 10s, 12s 6d; hens, 5s. 110, Crown-street, Burdekin-square.

FOR SALE, Hearson's Patent Champion Incubator, new, £8. Alpha Cottage, Liverpool-road, Ashfield.

LATTICE GREEN-HOUSE, portable, full of choice plants, for SALE, cheap, want room. Agnew, Petersham.

WANTED to SELL, Kangaroo SLUT and Pups, good breed. F. Driver, George-street, Burwood.

WANTED, 10 Tons ZINC, best price given. Macgregor, Harris, and Co., 266, George-street.

WANTED, good second-hand Garden ROLLER, suitable for farm. State price. Farm, Herald Office.

WANTED, Second-hand Corn, Flour, Chaff, Coke, Copra, Potato Bags, Gunnies. Ivey and Co., 141, Sussex-st.

WANTED, Billiard TABLE, new or second hand, with appointments complete, full size. All particulars to Billiards, Box 224, G. P. O.

WANTED, Wilcox and Gibbs SEWING-MACHINE, second-hand, for cash. R. T., Park-street P. O.

WANTED, Person to Adopt Boy, 4 years old. D. C. L., Herald Office.

WANTED, second-hand Letter COPYING-PRESS. Henry Roper, 245, Pitt-street.

WANTED, large double Office DESK, 8ft. to 12ft. long. Address Alpha, Box 149, G. P. O.

WANTED to Purchase, young Berkshire Boar, about 8 months old. Price address Pig, Herald Office.

WANTED to purchase, SCALES, not less than 5cwt., must be cheap. W. G., St. Peters Post-office.

WANTED, D. B. GUN, Greener or Purdey. Address, stating particulars, Moss, Carcoar.

WANTED to Buy, Second-hand 36-inch SAFE. Box 718, G. P. Office.

WANTED, Carter's Disintegrator No. 2, new or second-hand. Apply 343, Riley-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, a MAGPIE, with cage. State price to Magpie, Post-office, Burwood.

WANTED to Purchase, second-hand ICE CHEST. Apply 64, Rose-street, Darlington.

Municipal Council Notices.

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF CANTERBURY FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDING 6th AUGUST, 1888.

DR.

REVENUE.

NORTH WARD.

To Rates	£47 15 9		
Arrears	32 14 7½		
Lighting	11 4 3¾		
		£91 14 8	
Building Fees		2 5 0	
Bench—Fines proportion		4 0 0	
Asphalting		1 16 8	
Kerbing and Guttering		47 2 3	
Refund—Relaying Kerbing and Guttering		9 0 11	
Refund—Overdrawn Salary		5 11 1	
Subscription J. C. Sharp—proportion for general corporate purposes		50 0 0	
Endowment		221 1 0	
Vote main W. road to Canterbury		37 10 0	
Nuisance Prevention Act		13 11 4	
			£483 12 11

EAST WARD.

To Rates	80 7 6		
Arrears	4 5 6		
Lighting	3 15 8		
		£98 8 8	
Building Fees		1 15 0	
Bench—Fines proportion		4 0 0	
Refund Overdrawn Salary		5 11 1	
Subscription—J. C. Sharp, proportion for general corporate purposes		50 0 0	
Endowment		210 13 11½	
Vote Main W. Road to Canterbury		37 10 0	
Nuisance Prevention Act		11 16 8	
			£419 15 4½

WEST WARD.

To Rates	£181 18 0		
To Arrears	79 0 6		
		£260 18 6	
Building Fees		1 5 0	
Bench Fines		4 0 0	
Refund, overdrawn salary		5 11 2	
Subscription J. C. Sharp, proportion for general corporate purposes		50 0 0	
Endowment		227 5 7½	
			£549 0 3½
To Portion of Loan of £7000			5000 0 0
Sale of By-laws			0 0 6
			£6452 9 1

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EXPENDITURE.

By Overdraft at end of last Half-year ... £1083 14 2

NORTH WARD.

By Day Labour—Gutters	£29 14 10	By Hampton-street	£75 14 4½	£105 9 2½	
Balmoral-avenue	4 10 2½	Charles-street	37 1 1¼	41 11 3½	
John-street	19 12 0¼	Vincent-street	2 11 0¼	22 3 1¼	
King-street	44 10 6	Minter-street	62 14 9¼	107 5 3½	
George's River-road	734 0 0½	Lifting Water Iron Pipes	19 9 0½	753 9 0¾	
Burwood-lane	9 9 9	Main West Road to Canterbury	7 9 10½	16 19 7½	
Melrose-street	0 4 7½	Fencing Council Land	7 19 5¼	8 4 1	
		Wentworth-street		95 11 5½	
M. W. Rd. to Canterbury Boundary—B. Metal	5 3 6	Balmoral-avenue—W. Metal	34 2 4	39 5 10	
Charles-street—Ballast	73 6 4	Wentworth-street—Ballast	189 0 8	262 7 0	
Clyde-street—Ballast	0 2 0	Purchase of Office, &c.	6 0 0	6 2 0	
Kerbing and Guttering	188 5 11	By Nuisance Prevention Act	8 19 4	197 8 3	
Street Lighting	62 13 2	Prop. Cost of Road Roller	43 6 8	105 19 10	
Culvert M. W. Road, Canterbury	35 18 0	Extra Labour Culvert M. W. Road	15 0 0	50 18 0	1812 14 0½

EAST WARD.

By Day Labour—Gutters	13 19 9	By Northcote-street, half cost	21 19 11	35 19 8	
River-street	29 17 11½	Bismarck-street	63 9 11½	93 7 10½	
Frane-street	91 16 6¼	William-street	11 8 0¼	103 4 7½	
Cook's-avenue	35 0 8	Glenore-street	29 9 10¼	64 10 6¼	
Dutchland-street	42 9 7½	Lifting Iron Water Pipes	8 1 6½	50 11 2¼	
Fencing Council Land	2 3 1½	Main W. Road to Canterbury	7 9 10½	9 13 0	
M.W. Road to Canterbury, B. Metal	5 3 6	Northcote-street—W. Metal	56 7 0	61 10 6	
Sparke-street	7 13 10½	Fore-street	22 10 0	30 3 10½	
River-street	2 6 1¼	Dutchland-street	7 2 6	9 8 7½	
Homer-street	19 19 6	Short-street, on account	1 10 0	21 9 6	
William-street—Ballast	88 19 11	Reserve Ballast	10 2 4½	99 2 3½	
Street Lighting	24 19 7	Nuisance Prevention Act	6 5 6	31 5 1	
Purchase of Office, &c.	6 0 0	Proportion Cost of Road Roller	43 6 8	49 6 8	
Culvert M. W. Road, Canterbury prop.	35 18 0	Extra Labour, Culvert, M. W Road prop.	15 0 0	50 18 0	£710 11 5

WEST WARD.

By Day Labour, Gutters	£31 12 8	By William-street	£33 19 0¼	65 11 8½	
Northcote-street	21 3 0½	Roger-street	92 17 2¼	114 0 3	
Burwood-road	91 10 2¼	Lakemba-street	190 18 1¼	232 8 4¼	
Homer-street	7 3 9	Moorfields-road	54 15 10½	61 19 7½	
Fencing Council Land	2 3 1½	Lifting Iron Water Pipes	8 1 6½	10 4 8	
Punchbowl-road	132 14 1¼	Canterbury-road to Salt Pan Creek	22 2 2¼	154 16 4	
Lakemba-street Culvert	146 6 9	Northcote-street, ½ cost w. metal	56 7 0	202 13 0	
Purchase of Office, &c.	6 0 0	Proportion Cost of Road Roller	43 6 8	49 6 8	
		Roger-street Culvert		42 8 0	£983 8 7½

Miscellaneous:					
By Assessment on account	£30 0 0	By Rent	£22 10 0	52 10 0	
Blacksmithing	8 9 6	Printing	22 3 0	30 12 6	
Election expenses	10 3 6	Legal	15 5 0	25 8 6	
Advertising	43 2 1	Petty cash	15 0 0	58 2 1	
Office Expenses	7 10 5	Sundries	35 10 3	43 1 0	
Commission on rates collected	42 1 6	Library	1 18 6	44 0 0	
Drain pipes	5 12 8	Tools	23 0 2	26 12 10	£280 6 11
Salaries:					
Council clerk	£100 0 0	Inspector of Nuisances	£50 0 0	150 0 0	
Librarian	13 0 0	Overseer	78 0 0	91 0 0	£341 0 0
		Interest			31 4 9
		Interest on portion of loan (£8000)			90 0 0
		Bank charges			0 3 0
		Cash in hand			1 15 0
		Balance in bank			1217 11 2
					£6452 9 1

TRUST ROADS.

To George's River-road unexpended balance	£502 4 0¼	By Blue metal	£413 8 6
Municipal funds	231 15 11¾	White metal	147 19 4
		Ballast	13 13 10
		Day labour	158 18 4¼
	£734 0 0¼		£734 0 0¼
To Vote-road, from main Western-road to Canterbury	£75 0 0	By Stone culvert	£71 16 0
Municipal funds	52 2 9	Extra labour on culvert	30 0 0
		Blue metal	10 7 0
		Day labour	14 19 9
	£127 2 9		£127 2 9
To Unexpended balance Punch Bowl-road	£113 12 0½	By White metal	£70 0 0
Municipal funds	19 2 0¾	Day labour	62 14 1¼
	£132 14 1¼		£132 14 1¼

LOAN ACCOUNT.

To instalments on £7000 loan	£5000 0 0	By overdraft	£1083 14 2
		Works, North Ward	1175 17 9
		Ditto, East Ward	623 1 5
		Ditto, West Ward	819 16 7
		Balance	1297 10 1
	£5000 0 0		£5000 0 0

We hereby certify the foregoing accounts to be correct, and to correspond with the books of accounts and vouchers and other documents in the possession or power of the Municipal Council of Canterbury.

JOHN C. SHARP, Mayor.
JAMES M'BEAN, Treasurer.

We hereby certify that all the books of accounts and vouchers, and other documents in support thereof, in the possession or power of the Municipal Council of Canterbury have been exhibited to us, and that the foregoing corresponds with such books of accounts and vouchers or other documents, and that the above accounts are correct.

JAS. BEST, GEORGE DUNKLEY } Auditors.
H. M. INNES, Council Clerk.

Council-chambers, Canterbury, 18th August, 1888.

Houses and Land for Sale.

SUMMER HILL.—For SALE, WOODBOURNE, 2-storey detached Brick HOUSE, 7 rooms, hall, verandahs, balcony, bathroom, pantry, scullery, washhouse with copper, city water, north of line, and only 3 minutes from station; to be sold at once for £750.
COLLIN'S AGENCY, Summer Hill.

SUMMER HILL.—For SALE, pretty brick on stone COTTAGE, 5 rooms, kitchen, enclosed court, bathroom, pantry, &c., on heights, 5 minutes station. £900
COLLIN'S AGENCY, Summer Hill.

SUMMER HILL.—For SALE, handsome Gothic COTTAGE, iron palisading, 6 large airy rooms, and outoffices, wide hall right through, situate on heights, 5 minutes station, a bargain, £1000, terms, Torrens' title. Collin's, Summer Hill.

SUMMER HILL.—For SALE, superior Gentleman's RESIDENCE, 11 rooms and outoffices, land 100 x 200, 3 minutes station, £3100, terms.
COLLIN'S AGENCY, Summer Hill.

SUMMER HILL.—For SALE, superior RESIDENCE, situated in the most fashionable locality, on heights, only five minutes station, containing drawing, dining, and breakfast rooms, 5 large bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, scullery, &c., &c., blinds and gasaliers; grounds laid out in garden, fernery, bush-houses, &c.; £2100; terms. COLLIN'S Agency, Summer Hill.

SUMMER HILL.—For Sale, well-built detached Villa, standing in its own grounds, containing 4 cheerful bedrooms, bathroom, drawing and dining rooms, kitchen, &c.; gas and city water; garden laid out in lawn and asphalt walks; a splendid investment; only £1075; easy terms.
COLLIN'S AGENCY, Summer Hill.

SUMMER HILL.—For SALE, superior Gentleman's RESIDENCE, 9 rooms and outoffices, stables, &c., standing well within its own grounds, of 150ft. frontage by 200ft. deep, well elevated, and only 2 minutes from Summer Hill station. Torrens' title. This grand property must be sold for the low figure of £2500, terms. Gentlemen on the lookout for a choice suburban home and sound investment, should not fail to inspect this property. Cards to view, Collin's Agency, Summer Hill.

SUMMER HILL.—For SALE, HAWKESBURY, a charming Cottage Residence, two minutes from station, containing drawing and dining rooms, 3 bedrooms, servants' room and kitchen, washhouse, bath, plunge and shower, enclosed court at back, extra room, wood and fowl house; good supply of water; gas all through the house; garden, lawn and shrubbery, all walks asphalted, buggy entrance; the whole in first-class order; land 50 x 225. A bargain; £1000. Torrens' title.
COLLIN'S Agency, at Summer Hill station.

ASHFIELD.—For SALE, substantial Brick COTTAGE, 6 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, &c., land 45 x 150, near station, only £700, a bargain, terms.
COLLIN'S AGENCY, Summer Hill.

CITY Freehold, 24 x 80, Campbell-st., Haymarket, gift, £1000. O. K., care Palmer, bootmaker, 627, George-street.

FOR SALE, net return of 15 per cent., LEASE, having 41 years to run, of property, consisting of SHOP and 7 well-built HOUSES, in first-rate position in Ultimo, commanding constant tenants. Apply J. R. L., General Post Office.

MERRYLANDS, 5 mins. from station.—Block of Land, timber; fenced, 132 x 314. Phillips, 808, George-st.

KOGARAH.—For SALE, COTTAGE, 3 rooms, price £275, deposit £5, Gower-street. Apply W. Tidmarsh.

INGLEBURN Railway Station.—For Private SALE, 43 acres, well cleared land, fenced LAND, two water ponds, pump tank, suit vineyard, orchard, dairy, poultry farm, at less than cost price, easy terms. 82, George-street, Waterloo.

FOR SALE, 2 Splendid HOUSES of 8 rooms, bath, (plunge and shower), washhouse with copper, cupboards, and every convenience, gas in 6 rooms, property situated corner of Cleveland and Marlborough streets, Surry Hills. Terms easy. Apply to
J. W. WHITE, Proprietor, next building.

FOR SALE, at Burwood, newly-built Detached VILLA, containing 9 rooms, 2 pantries, bathroom, large kitchen and scullery, with every convenience; land, 110 feet frontage to Wyalong-street by 320 feet to Clifton-avenue. Apply to Mr. Felton, on the premises; or to W. Hughes, 114 and 116, William-street, Sydney.

SPECULATORS, read leading article in Echo August 23. I have 11 acres for SALE, close to Government Wharf at Cook's River. This land has a large frontage to a permanent fresh-water creek, and only 4 miles from the city. The site is invaluable for factory or other purposes.
J. G. CLEGG, Estate Agent, 61, King-street, Newtown, Sydney.

SIXTY POUNDS DEPOSIT and balance very easy will purchase pretty detached COTTAGE, hall, 4 rooms (folding doors), kitchen, pantry, washhouse, &c., area 30 x 90, Torrens'; elevated position; price, £450. H. A. Ramsay, Arcade.

FIVE HUNDRED and SEVENTY-FIVE POUNDS will purchase a really choice detached COTTAGE, in a splendid position, hall through, 6 rooms, bathroom, stove, copper, &c., 40 x 90, Torrens'; perfect gem. H. A. Ramsay, 8, Arcade.

SUMMER HILL.—For SALE, well-built detached VILLA, standing in its own ground, containing 4 cheerful bedrooms, bathroom, drawing and dining room, kitchen, &c., gas, and city water, garden laid out in lawn and asphalt walks. Apply H. SMITH, corner of Henson and Herbert streets, Summer Hill.

FOR SALE.
Two HOUSES, Annandale-street, North Annandale, £50 deposit, balance as rent. Apply
SYDNEY SMITH, Auctioneer, 85, Elizabeth-street.

FOR SALE.
ALLOTMENTS and HOUSES, very easy terms. Apply
SYDNEY SMITH, Auctioneer, 85, Elizabeth-street.

FOR SALE.
Choice ALLOTMENTS in all parts of the North Annandale Estate; only 5 per cent. deposit, balance in 10 years; interest at 6 per cent. Apply
SYDNEY SMITH, Auctioneer, 85, Elizabeth-street.

KOGARAH.—SALE, or to LET, two first-class SHOPS and DWELLINGS, the best stand in Kogarah; let to good man; price easy and low. Apply to J. W. TIDMARSH, house adjoining.

HOMEBUSH.—Gentleman's COTTAGE, only built a few months; beautifully situated, good area of ground, 55 x 200, six minutes from station, hall, drawing, and dining rooms, 4 bedrooms, kitchen, pantry, laundry, w.h., marble mantels, electric bells, tiled hearths, &c., &c., gas stove, asbestos fire, gas all over the house, Nepean water, Torrens' Title; owner removing to country; will sell at low price; well worth inspection.
D. HAZLEWOOD, 70, Pitt-street.

SPLENDID SITE for factory just outside city boundary, 80 x 120, great prospective value, at present occupied by nine Dwellings, mostly in good repair.
D. HAZLEWOOD, 70, Pitt-street.

THIRTY POUNDS Deposit, balance 17s 6d per week, 4 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, copper, &c., No. 3, Walter-street, near Reservoir, Paddington; low interest; £500. Apply at No. 7.

ALLOTMENTS for SALE, cheap, on popular terms, UNDERWOOD ESTATE, PADDINGTON, adjoining Recreation Reserve, from 45s foot. Send for plans and particulars. CHAPMAN and LAMB, 127, King-street. (338)

STANMORE, Cavendish-street.—Detached Villa RESIDENCE, built of brick, with slate roof, containing drawing and dining rooms, folding doors, 4 bedrooms, dressing-room, kitchen, bathroom, verandah front and back, land 33 x 99; Torrens' title; price £1450.
CHAPMAN and LAMB, 127, King-street.

PADDINGTON.—For SALE, comfortable family HOUSE, drawing-room, dining-room (folding doors), 4 bedrooms, 2d tram, charmingly situated; small deposit, balance rent. Apply at once, Agency Co., corner Oxford and Eliz. sts., Padd.

FOR SALE, at PETERSHAM, pleasant situation, superior Brick COTTAGE, detached, 5 good rooms, kitchen, washhouse, bathroom, hall, gas, gas stove, city water, and altogether a compact comfortable residence; price, £500, terms low, worth £600.
T. H. NASH and CO., Auctioneers, New Canterbury-road, Petersham.
(96-2)

STANMORE.—For SALE, a well-built and comfortable COTTAGE, detached, honestly worth £500, but which we can sell for £400, and on very easy terms; contains 4 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, fixed tubs, bathroom, gas, city water, &c.
T. H. NASH and CO., Auctioneers, Petersham.
(88-1)

PETERSHAM, COBAR-STREET.
A first-class Brick COTTAGE, detached, 4 good rooms, kitchen, pantry, &c., bow window, and in every respect a pretty cottage.
We are instructed to sell this property at a very great sacrifice. Speculators and others should avail themselves of this opportunity.
T. H. NASH and CO., Auctioneers, Petersham.
(82-4)

FOR SALE, by CHAS. BATE and CO., 20b. PITT-STREET:
MOORE PARK.—TERRACE, always let, return 11 per cent.
BENT-STREET, Moore Park-road.—Choice 6-roomed HOUSE, bathroom, verandah, balcony, copper, shed, large yard, side and lane entrance, £650, bargain, cheap, for quick sale
PASTORAL PROPERTIES.—200 to 6000 acres, from 15s acre
MARRICKVILLE.—Three nice Cottages, £350 each, cheap
WATSON'S BAY, close to wharf.—Allotment, 76ft., bargain
WATER FRONTAGE.—Blocks, Balmain and Watson's Bay
FIVE DOCK.—24 acres, large road and water frontage
FREEHOLDS.—Kent, George, Hay, Harbour, Goulburn, Liverpool, and Castlereagh streets
FREEHOLD HOTELS.—First-class, city, suburbs, and country
GRANVILLE.—Choice Residence, well finished, 100ft. by 264ft., very low price, and easy terms.
MOORE PARK-ROAD.—Handsome RESIDENCE, stabling, &c.
LEICHHARDT.—2 fine semi-detached Houses, easily converted into grand hotel 40 rooms at small cost; £2000, very cheap.
SUBURBAN HOTEL, close to railway station, 5 acres, cleared and well adapted for sports, fishing, &c.; bargain.
WATER FRONTAGE, 1½ mile long, near Sydney and close to railway station, with large block land, with fine Residence, suitable for hotel, sports, racing, boating, and fishing.
WOOLLOOMOOLOO.—Hotel and 7 Houses, fine position, cheap.
SOUTH CREEK.—200 acres rich Land, fenced and improved; also 67½ acres, Penrithville, beautifully situated, well watered, mostly cleared, and near railway station; bargains.
RICHMOND RIVER.—Valuable Sugar Cane Property, 125 acres, yields 70 to 80 tons cane per acre; certain fortune; low price.
ORANGE DISTRICT.—90 acres good alluvial gold Land, with good house, 8 rooms, verandah back and front, kitchen, &c.; a great bargain, for quick sale. This is worth attention.
PETERSHAM.—2 Houses, Station-street, and Cottage, Andreas-street, opposite park, frontage 50 by 150 ft., £1000.
PADDINGTON.—Windsor-street, new Terrace 6 Houses, 6 rooms, &c., verandahs and balconies, large yards to back street, £2800; also, Hargrave-street, new Terrace, three, 6 rooms, verandahs, balconies, large yards to back street, £1200.
MILLER'S POINT.—Hotel and House adjoining, £3000.
KENT-STREET.—2 excellent Houses, rents £3 10s, £2250.
ST. LEONARDS.—Sutherland-street and Oakes-avenue, brick Cottage, 50 by 190 ft., £185.
PYRMONT.—Stone House, 4 rooms, and allotment adjoining, 36 by 96 ft., £290.
GEORGE-STREET WEST.—60ft. frontage by 334.
ASHFIELD.—Block, 1000ft. frontage to four street, close to station, £3 10s per foot; also, large block Manly.

BONDI, Penkivil-street.—Nice VILLA, ocean views, having 7 rooms, kitchen, bath, pantry, washhouse, folding doors, marble mantels throughout, city water and gas, front and back balconies, land 30 x 181, buggy entrance, side door; cash or terms. Apply
JOSEPH ELLISON, on Premises.

ROCKDALE, at station.—Detached VILLA, 5 rooms, garden, latest imps., 28ft., £460. J. F. Downing, Rockdale.

NORTH SHORE PROPERTY EXCHANGE.
G. T. CLARKE and CO., Walker-street, St. Leonards, and 120, Pitt-street, Sydney.
FOR PRIVATE SALE.
Allotment, Berry-street, 22 x 120, near ferry, £308. (95)
Cottage, North Sydney, 3 rooms and kitchen, £140. (91)
House, Berry's Estate, 4 rooms, land 40 x 120, £460. (90)
Land, Fidden's-road, Chatswood, 1, 2, or 3 acres, £150. (87)
Villas—Two semi-detached, 4 rooms, &c., near Reserve, £1100
Cottage, near Milson's Point, 4 rooms and offices, £550. (83)
Land, Bonnie View, Mosman's Bay, 41 x 132, £70. (71)
Land, North Willoughby, close to tram, £1 foot. (60)
Land, opposite Reserve, good corner, views, £12 foot. (56)
Residence, Mosman's Bay, close to ferry, £1450. (85)

BALMAIN.—For SALE, 4-roomed detached Cottage, easy terms, let 14s week. E. P. Dawbarn, 11, York-street.

PETERSHAM.—For SALE, a W. B. COTTAGE, containing 3 good rooms, and standing on splendid land; price, only £245, any terms. The land is worth the money. KITT and CO., House and Estate Agency, Petersham.

PETERSHAM.—For SALE, a superior HOUSE, detached, containing drawing and dining rooms, hall, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, plunge, kitchen and pantry, washhouse, with copper and taps, gas, and city water, balconies and verandah, asphalted yard, buggy, and side entrance, with street at rear. This property is in first-class order, and is opposite the Petersham Park. £700, terms £100 or £200 deposit, balance as rent.
KITT and CO.'S House and Estate Agency, Petersham.

FOR SALE, at Petersham, a choice RESIDENCE. This splendid property contains large drawing-room, pleasant dining-room, 3 large bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen with range, washhouse with copper, fernery, fowlhouse, and yard, large summer-house and croquet lawn, garden stocked with the choicest of flowers and shrubs; land, 72ft. frontage by a depth of 140ft.; price, £1250; terms if required. Come and see this.
KITT and CO.'S House and Estate Agency, Petersham.

TWENTY-FIVE POUNDS DEPOSIT, Balance as Rent.—STANMORE.—For SALE, a most faithfully-built detached RESIDENCE, with slated roof, containing hall, drawing and dining rooms, 4 bedrooms, marble mantels, tiled hearths, gas, workroom, bathroom, kitchen (with stove), washhouse (with copper and fixed tubs), verandah and balcony, iron railings, beautifully situated, one minute from station.
KITT and CO.'S House and Estate Agency, Petersham.

BARGAIN.—Pretty brick detached COTTAGE, slate roof, 5 rooms, washhouse, copper, tubs, bathroom, tiled hearths, verandah, cooking range, £525. Also, brick detached Cottage, slate roof, 6 rooms, washhouse, copper, bathroom, tubs, gas, water, side entrance: situated splendid position, close tram and 'bus, £670. Terms. MANN, Marion-street, Leichhardt.

SUMMER HILL.—For SALE, a well-built detached HOUSE, containing dining-room, drawing-room, 2 bedrooms, bath, pantry, kitchen, washhouse, copper fitted with tubs, city water and gas, nice balcony, tiled hearths and verandah, garden laid out, asphalted walks, splendid views; highest part of Summer Hill; 5 minutes from station: price £650.
Apply Camelia Cottage, Moonbie-street, Summer Hill.

THE CHEAPEST LAND IN THE MARKET for FARMING, FRUIT and VINE GROWING, POULTRY FARMING, &c., is the LUDDENHAM FARMS, ST. MARYS (3rd subdivision),
3½ to 30 acre Blocks.
£8 PER ACRE.
Blocks having large Fresh Water Frontages, £10 PER ACRE.
Small Deposits. Easy Instalments.
Torrens' Title.
Plans from G. R. SWYNY, 61, Royal Arcade, Pitt-street.

CITY PROPERTY, York-street, opposite the Markets. —To be LET on lease, block of LAND, 54ft. frontage by a depth of 85ft. to a lane at rear. This is a grand site for first-class buildings, as the improvements which must follow the removal of the Markets and completion of the Centennial Hall will make York-street second only to George-street. The attention of speculators and capitalists is directed to the above. Further particulars from
G. R. SWYNY, Estate Agent, 61, Royal Arcade, Pitt-street.

NORTH SHORE.—Two well-built Brick HOUSES, each 4 rooms, hall, kit., pantry, washhouse, &c.; on corner allotment, 33 x 120; price £850 the two; always let, a sound investment; terms. G. R. SWYNY, 61, Royal Arcade, Pitt-st.

WANTED, to Exchange or Sell, ORCHARD and VINEYARD, 20 acres (half under cultivation and mostly in bearing), cottage and extensive outbuildings, all fenced; valuation, £1400; mortgage, £600; the equity will be sold for £400, or a fair exchange made for freehold property, either with or without the mortgage. G. R. SWYNY, 61, Royal Arcade.

ROSSMORE DAIRY FARMS, NEAR LIVERPOOL.
1000 ACRES TO CHOOSE FROM.
Terms: Sixpence per week per acre
10 Acres Cleared Land, 20s per month.
This property is the most lovely one in the county, and for accessibility, general conveniences, quality of soil, price and wonderful terms, cannot be surpassed.
Daily post, church upon the estate, and Public school close by.
A splendid judge of land, who has known this estate many years, has selected 100 acres, another 50 acres, and altogether 400 acres have been taken up.
A grand dairy or cultivation farm of 50 acres, with new 4-roomed cottage, land cleared and fenced, and permanent water, for small deposit, and easy payments if required. Title, Torrens's, and immediate possession.
Remember, the easiest terms ever offered anywhere. Free vehicles and refreshments provided. Plans and all particulars
E. P. DAWBARN, 11, York-street.

TWO finely situated Villa SITES, in Coogee Park Estate, Coogee Bay, each 33ft. x 132ft.; very cheap. H. Bridge, 184, Pitt-street.

SUMMER HILL.
GENTLEMAN'S RESIDENCE, £2500.
This property has been erected at considerable expense, every detail attended to, all materials and fittings of the very best; the house contains drawing and dining rooms, folding doors, wide hall and corridor, cedar fittings, and elaborately-corniced ceilings (12ft. high), 6 large and airy bedrooms, marble mantels in all rooms, wide balcony and verandah, tiled hearths, conservatory, bathroom and lavatory, walks and yard asphalted; the design is very complete; it is situate on highest point in this suburb, and commands excellent views both back and front; the properties in the immediate neighbourhood are all of a similar description. The present owner is desirous to dispose of it at the above figure; we can arrange terms if required; no encumbrance of any kind now on the property.
Further particulars and cards from
STANTON and SON, Summer Hill House and Land Agency.

SUMMER HILL. — Well-designed and thoroughly well-built Gothic VILLA, drawing and dining rooms (very large), 4 large bedrooms, wide hall, large lobby suitable for breakfast-room, kitchen, expensive range, 2 large pantries, bathroom, tiled floor, laundry, marble mantels, electric bells, tiled verandah and hearths, Land 50 x 200, with buggy entrance. This property without a doubt is one of the most complete of its kind; 5 min. station; elevated position. Price, only £1200. Terms easy.
STANTON and SON, Summer Hill House and Land Agency.

SUMMER HILL.—To Speculators.—Valuable Block of LAND, with Buildings thereon, adjoining A. J. S. Bank, Summer Hill, right at and facing the Summer Hill railway station; 55ft. x 122. This is a chance to secure a property that must advance on account of the position. Price, &c.,
STANTON and SON, House and Land Agents, Summer Hill.

SNUG Brick Cottage, 3 rooms, kit., laundry, good position, £230, £15 dep., bal. 13s week. Stanton and Son.

SUMMER HILL.—Cottage, 4 rooms, kit., facing line, near train, £375, £25, 10s week. Stanton and Son, Sum. H.

SUMMER HILL.—VILLAS, £550, £650, £725, £775, £800, £950, various others. Stanton and Son, at station.

RAMSAY'S PROPERTY FOR SALE LIST.
DARLINGHURST—Detached Stone Cottage, on good area, easy terms, most substantially erected, stabling, &c.
DARLINGHURST—Terrace of superior Houses, well let
FOREST LODGE—A most compact House, £535
CITY—Terrace 4 comfortable Houses, cheap
DARLINGTON—Terrace 3 very nice new Houses
SUBURBS—Detached Brick Cottage, 5 rooms, £450
DARLINGHURST—Comfortable House, 6 rooms, £850
REDFERN—A really compact House, £650
ENMORE—Two Houses, splendid order, £1100
SUMMER HILL—Allotment, 20 x 110, £92 10s
DARLINGTON—Allotment, 34.8 x 98.10, cheap

TERRACE PROPERTIES for SALE.
DARLINGHURST—Three first-class Houses, well let
POTTS POINT—Three Gentleman's Residences
SURRY HILLS—Six really nice Houses, excellent investment
REDFERN—4 most comfortable Houses
DARLINGTON—3 very compact new Houses
CHIPPENDALE—4 neat Houses, good order, cheap
PADDINGTON—First-rate Terrace, returning 10 per cent. net
DARLINGTON—5 nice new Houses, good tenants, cheap
SURRY HILLS—Shop and 10 Houses, Torrens's, well let
DARLINGTON—Shop and Dwelling, and 3 good Houses, cheap.
HERBERT A. RAMSAY, 63, KING-STREET ARCADE.

STANMORE.—For SALE, a Superior COTTAGE, containing drawing and dining rooms, hall, two bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, and pantry, washhouse with copper, gas and city water, marble mantels, tiled verandah, porch and entrance, iron palisading, stone pillars, front and back entrance; £500; terms, £50 deposit, balance 20s per week.
KITT and CO.'S House and Estate Agency, Petersham.

LADY ROBINSON BEACH.—For SALE, Allotment, 25ft., Bay-street. A. B., Herald Office.

COTTAGE for SALE, in ST. LEONARDS, 6 rooms, &c., brick on stone, will let for 15s per week. £300.
WOODIN and ROBBERDS, Central Auction Rooms, 134, Pitt-street.

SHOP and RESIDENCE for SALE, splendid investment, returns 24 per cent. while mortgage lasts. Cash £250. Good freehold title.
WOODIN and ROBBERDS, House and Estate Agents,
(Fol. 505) Central Auction Rooms, 134, Pitt-street.

DWELLINGS, with STABLING accommodation, for SALE, suit van or cab proprietors; as an investment would return 20 per cent.
WOODIN and ROBBERDS, 134, Pitt-street.

FOR SALE, in Redfern, 2 RESIDENCES, of brick on stone, each contains 9 rooms, &c., &c., well finished off, and fitted with every modern convenience; land 36 x 110, Torrens. Price £1000 each. Terms if required.
WOODIN and ROBBERDS, 134, Pitt-street.

FOR SALE, an Allotment of LAND, 25 x 112, North Annandale Estate. Apply 151, George-street West.

BURWOOD, THE QUEEN OF THE SUBURBS. A gentleman, who intends to reside in Melbourne, has placed his very handsome MANSION and Grounds in our hands for Private SALE. We respectfully invite the attention of gentlemen desiring a first-class investment to this elegant and convenient family residence. It stands supreme for beauty of situation, style of architecture, and commands the admiration of the passers by. Fronting northward, from its windows and gardens, may be enjoyed lovely views of the Parramatta River and high lands beyond it. Beautifully elevated, yet sheltered and salubrious. The accommodation is large and very complete, including a grand billiard-room 40 x 20; stabling, about 1 acre ground. Further particulars and cards to view from STRONGMAN and CO., Property Auctioneers and Agents, Burwood station.

SPRINGWOOD, Blue Mountains.—Five-acre Block at station for Sale. H. Priestly, Parramatta-rd., Leichhardt.

DAIRY for SALE, 13 cows, 2 horses and carts, utensils, all in first-class order, with comfortable cottage, 3½ acres of land, part under cultivation. This is worth inspection, as I am instructed to sell as soon as possible; price, £220; terms if required.
R. TODD, Parramatta-road, Leichhardt.

General Merchandise.

F. R. ROBINSON and SON'S LAUNDRY STOVES and WASHING COPPERS. Largest variety in the colony, from 1 to 30 irons. Coppers, best quality, lowest prices. 243 and 245, Castlereagh-street, opposite Protestant Hall.

GOLD MEDAL GAS COOKERS. The most economical made. All sizes in stock.
F. R. ROBINSON and SONS, Gasfitters, 243 and 245, Castlereagh-street.

COOKING RANGES.
DAUNTLESS Ranges, all sizes in stock
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TO LET, GLENALVA, a commodious MANSION, standing in spacious pleasure grounds, fronting Stephen-street, at Balmain. Apply HARDIE and GORMAN, 133, Pitt-street.

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WAREHOUSE (portion of), centrally situated and well lighted, corner of Clarence and Market streets; rent, £5 per week. Apply 32, Market-street.

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TO LET, 8-roomed HOUSE, Seamer-terrace, Parramatta old road, Forest Lodge, gas, water, bath, every convenience. Apply premises; or J. H. Seamer, sawmills, Bathurst-street West.

TO LET, No. 33, Schimel-street, Waterloo, HOUSE, 5 rooms and kitchen, rent 13s 6d per week. Apply next door, or to J. T. Davenport and Co., Moore-street, Sydney, near City Bank.

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TO LET or for SALE, HATHERLEIGH, 58, Darlinghurst-road, Family Residence, 13 rooms, kitchen, laundry, coachhouse, stable, and every convenience. Apply Mr. GREEN, Bank of New South Wales.

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TO LET, those newly-erected PREMISES in Castlereagh-street, close to King-street, consisting of ground floor, and offices on the first and second floors.
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To LEASE, for a term of 7, 14, or 21 years, all that piece or parcel of LAND, containing 1 acre 1 rood and 38 perches, or thereabouts, situated at the point of Throsby Creek and Hannell-street, Wickham, near Newcastle, having large water frontage to Throsby Creek, and close to the Honeysuckle railway station and the proposed new Government Dock, being part of the property now or lately occupied by Mr. G. Redman.
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(Signed) F. ADAMS, General Manager.
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NOTICE.—GIBBS, 189, Pitt-st., begs to announce that through a misunderstanding the sale at auction yesterday of the West Coast Hotel, Kent-street, is VOID. Parties desiring to offer £150 may do so till 11 a.m. THIS DAY. Immediate.

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Thus guided, mistake is next to impossible, unless in the case of people, whose number is happily small, who don't know a RAILWAY STATION from a CHURCH, or a first-class carriage from a cattle-truck. Luckily such and similar idiosyncracies are rare, but if there be any inquiring persons who desire particulars of the RAILWAY STATION, with which our name and address is so intimately associated, and who are anxious for further and more exact details as to its relative position with regard to
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we shall be happy at any hour of the business day to act as instructors, and to fill up the aching void. In that direction, and for the special behoof of all who have no inclination for lessons of a special character on such an easy subject, we may remark, and are prepared to stake our existence as
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FIVE MINUTES' EASY WALK
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Some people might, nay, could easily, do it in less. We know boys, girls, youths, and others, nimble on their feet and anxious to catch a train, who have performed the distance in
LESS THAN TWO MINUTES,
and many ordinary walkers, with a good stretch of leg and the help of an occasional hop, skip, and jump, have accomplished it in between three and four; but, taking it all round, allowing for accidents, orangepeel on the pavement, clumsy pedestrians on the path, and the many little incidents which in civilised parts are apt to impede the walker's way, the whole distance between the doors of
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We think we have said sufficient to fix the fact in the minds of people who may happen to cast their eyes over this notice that
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FIRST Prize for Lorries, Centennial Exhibition, 1888.—Sale, new Lorries, £40, £38; Springdray, £13 10s; Delivery Van, £23; Road Sulky, £10; Springcarts, £10 10s, £12, £15; Light Waggon, £12, &c. Coleman and Son, 203, Sussex-street.

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Funerals.

THE FUNERAL of the late DANIEL ROWAN will move from St. Vincent's Hospital, THIS (Saturday) MORNING, at 8.15, for Necropolis. WILLIAM J. DIXON, Embalmer and Undertaker, 40, and 109, Riley-street, and Forest Lodge Tram Terminus.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. WILLIAM NARRAMORE are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his dearly beloved MOTHER; to move from her late residence, Croydon-road, Hurstville, to St. George's Cemetery, Hurstville, at 1.30 TO-MORROW, Sunday. JAMES WEEKS, Undertaker, 96, King-street, Newtown, and Day-street, Leichhardt.

THE FRIENDS of Messrs. THOMAS, DAVID, and JAMES NARRAMORE are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved GRANDMOTHER; to move from her late residence, Croydon-road, Hurstville, to St. George's Cemetery, Hurstville, TO-MORROW, Sunday, at 1.30. JAMES WEEKS, Undertaker, 96, King-st., N'town, and Day-st., L'hardt.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mrs. CAROLINE BOOTH are respectfully invited to attend her Funeral; to move from her late residence, No. 60, Foster-street, Haymarket, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery. WOOD and COMPANY, Undertakers, 799, George-street, Sydney; and Darling-street, Balmain.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. W. H. BOOTH are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved MOTHER, Caroline Booth; to move from No. 60, Foster-street, Haymarket, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery. WOOD and COMPANY, Undertakers, 799, George-street; Balmain, Petersham, &c.

THE FRIENDS of the late JOHN CREIGHTON HAGARTY, of the Sydney Mint, are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, Charles-street, Petersham, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Necropolis. B. FIENBERG and Co., Undertakers, Parramatta-road, opposite Railway-street, Leichhardt.

THE FUNERAL of the late ELLENOR MARY O'NEIL will take place THIS DAY, Saturday; to move from her son-in-law's residence, Carlton, Boyce-street, Glebe Point, at 2 o'clock p.m., for the Necropolis. J. and G. SHYING and CO., Undertakers, No. 8, George-street West.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. HENRY FISHER are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from No. 1, Cumberland-street, Sydney, TO-MORROW (Sunday) AFTERNOON, at 12.30, for St. Luke's Church, Sussex-street, thence by Funeral train to Necropolis. WOOD and COMPANY, Undertakers, 799, Geo.-st., Balmain, Petersham, St. Leonards.

THE FRIENDS of Mrs. FISHER are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of her late beloved HUSBAND, Henry Fisher; to move from his late residence, No. 1, Cumberland-street, Sydney, TO-MORROW (Sunday) AFTERNOON, at 12.30, for St. Luke's Church, Sussex-street, thence by Funeral train to Necropolis. WOOD and CO., Undertakers.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. AARON BROWN are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved MOTHER, Eliza; to move from his residence, Sharp-street, Canterbury, on SUNDAY AFTERNOON, at quarter-past 3 o'clock, for Canterbury Cemetery. J. and G. SHYING and CO., Undertakers, No. 8, George-street West (Only).

THE FRIENDS of Mr. J. H. C. BRADSHAW are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, Cook's River-road, St. Peters, TO-MORROW (Sunday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 3 o'clock, for St. Peters Cemetery. BOOTS and GOMMESON, Undertakers, 168, King-street, Newtown, and Norton-street, Leichhardt.

THE FRIENDS of Mrs. BRADSHAW are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of her dearly beloved HUSBAND, John Henry; to move from her residence, Cook's River-road, St. Peters, TO-MORROW (Sunday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 3 o'clock, for St. Peters Cemetery. BOOTS and GOMMESON, Undertakers, 168, King-street, Newtown.

THE FRIENDS of Mrs. J. BRADSHAW are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of her beloved SON, J. H. C. Bradshaw; to move from Cook's River-road, St. Peters, TO-MORROW (Sunday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 3 o'clock, for St. Peters Cemetery. BOOTS and GOMMESON, Undertakers, 168, King-street, Newtown, and Norton-st., Leichhardt.

THE FRIENDS of Messrs. JOHN and THOMAS BRADSHAW are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved FATHER, John Henry; to move from Cook's River-road, St. Peters, TO-MORROW (Sunday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 3 o'clock, for St. Peters Cemetery. BOOTS and GOMMESON, 168, King-st., Newtown, and Norton-st., L'hardt.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. THOMAS GLEESON are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved FATHER-IN-LAW, Mr. J. H. C. Bradshaw; to move from his late residence, Cook's River-road, St. Peters, TO-MORROW (Sunday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 3 o'clock, for St. Peters' Cemetery. BOOTS and GOMMESON, 168, King-st., Newtown.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. JOHN MAXWELL are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved FATHER-IN-LAW, Mr. J. H. C. Bradshaw; to move from Cook's River-road, St. Peters, TO-MORROW (Sunday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 3 o'clock, for St. Peters Cemetery. BOOTS and GOMMESON, 168, King-st., Newtown, and Leichhardt.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. GEORGE CLEWES are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved UNCLE, Mr. J. H. C. Bradshaw; to move from Cook's River-road, St. Peters, TO-MORROW (Sunday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 3 o'clock, for St. Peters' Cemetery. BOOTS and GOMMESON, Undertakers, 168, King-st., Newtown; Norton-st., L'chdt.

LOYAL ST. JOHN'S LODGE, No 6, I. O. O. F., M. U.—The OFFICERS and Members of the above Lodge, together with the members of the various Lodges of the Order, are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of our late Brother JOHN BRADSHAW; to move from his late residence, Cook's River-rd., St. Peters, To-morrow, 3.30, to St. Peters' Cemetery.

Shipping.

FOR SALE, a good Wager BOAT, built by Donnelly. W. Reid, boat builder, Glebe Point.

FOR SALE, the well and favourably known Steamships RINGAROOMA and ARAWATA, 100 A1; dimensions, 245 feet 4 inches x 30 feet 1 inch x 21 feet 9 inches; tonnage, 1098 tons gross, 623 tons net; nominal h.p., 300; passenger accommodation for 120 saloon and 103 steerage; cargo capacity, 500 tons; bunkers, 226 tons; engines compound surface condensing. Both these vessels are in good going order, and have extensive inventories.
For price, plans, and all other particulars, apply
UNION STEAMSHIP COMPANY,
Margaret and Sussex streets.

NELIGAN.—Wanted, VESSEL to freight sleepers to Sydney. D. Anderson, 16, Bond-street.

NEW Varnished Cedar and Kauri Pine 16ft. SKIFFS, £10 5s, £8 5s. Mr. Weir, grocer, Darling-street, Balmain.

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The favourite steamer ALATHEA and FERN BAY GROUNDS for HIRE. Apply P. R. S. CO., King-street Wharf. Grounds greatly improved by new roads, &c. Cartage to and from pavilion free. Also, 12 other steamers to choose from. Lowest rates.

SKIFF for SALE, 18ft., 3 pairs sculls, and sail. Apply D. Morland, Berry's Bay, North Shore.

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TENDERS are invited for the Conveyance of Alum from Bullahdelah to Sydney, or from Bullahdelah to Port Stephens, and from Port Stephens to Sydney. Preference given to tenders for the through trip to Sydney. A steamer recently made a successful trip up the Myall River to Bullahdelah. Further particulars on application to the Secretary Australian Alum Company, Bond-street, to whom tenders must be addressed, marked "Tender for Shipping," not later than the 8th September.

WANTED to CHARTER, 10-ton YACHT, with option of purchase. H. S. Harden, 279, George-street.

WANTED, a Half-decked BOAT, about 22ft.; pleasure sails only. Apply Mainsail, Herald Office.

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WANTED, a sea-going SCHOONER, from 30 to 50 tons; must be cheap. N. W., 136, King-street.

WHARFAGE.—First-class Accommodation available at Tasmanian Wharf, Sussex-st. T. and W. Willis, agents

WANTED, second-hand varnished cedar C. B. SKIFF (double drop), with sails and spars complete; must be a stiff boat and in good order. State dimensions of boat and price to A. M'ALISTER, 79A, Victoria-st., Darlinghurst.

WANTED, 15ft. to 18ft. Centre-board BOAT, suitable for pulling and sailing. State price, and where to be seen, R. W. HEYWOOD, care of Blacket Bros., Commercial-chambers, Bond-street.

FLOATING DOCK, MORT'S BAY, Balmain.—THOMAS S. ROWNTREE and CO. Wood and Composite Shipbuilders and Blacksmiths. Ships of any size docked; repairs and work efficiently carried out on the most reasonable terms. Masts, spars and ship timber of every description always on hand. Town Office—249, George-street, opposite Bridge-street.

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NEW SOUTH WALES REGIMENT VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY.
RECRUITING for the above at 7.30 p.m. at Victoria Barracks on TUESDAY next, the 28th instant.
By order.
R. A. NATHAN, Captain,
Adjutant Vol. Artillery.

Coal, Firewood, &c

C O K E.
The PRICE of COKE will, from this date, be 13s per ton of 20 bags, delivered at the Company's yard, in Kent-street, Sydney, and at Mortlake Gas Works. Contract rates for cartage, according to distance.
W. JOHNSTON, Secretary.
Gas Works, Sydney, 21st August, 1888.

WOOD.—500 Tons dry Billet WOOD. A. Graham Paxton.

UNION TERMINATING BUILDING SOCIETY, 55, Market-st.—Best Society Borrowers. Call for prospectus.

Personal.

AMYONE knowing the address of W. ERNEST BROWNE, kindly communicate T. Pratt, 6, Bond-st.

DOROTHY.—Cheer up, loved one. Always anxious. Fondest love and best wishes.

ERNEST DRAVIN.—Return, or communicate with your friends in Shadwell, London, E.

ETHEL WINN.—Old Christchurch friend wishes see you. Address letter Stretton, Herald.

JAMES VARY.—Please attend to letter sent Wagga Wagga, 3rd instant.

JAMES WILSON, late of Drumadara, County Antrim, Ireland.—Important news. Call 39, Stanley-st., Hyde Park.

JAMES WALKER, 15, taken out of the Parramatta C. Orphanage by friends, June, 1879.—Mother and sister are anxious to hear from you. Any person knowing his whereabouts please communicate with R. E. Mannigel, Morpeth.

MR. FRANK MOSS BERRY.—Please send address to or call upon Mr. Thornton, 377, George-street.

MR. THOS. SMITH and his friend will greatly oblige Herr Rasmussen by calling upon him again.

MRS. WYMER, late of Petersham or Marrickville.—Anyone knowing her address please send to T. J. Harpham, 18, Barrack-street, Sydney.

MR. WM. WILLIAMS, who used to live with his sister-in-law at Leichhardt.—Mrs. George Williams will kindly send his address to Miss C. Downing, care of Mrs. Norman Selfe, Hall-street, Ashfield.

R. M. R I L E Y (late of the Detective Force), Private Inquiry, Missing Friends, and General Business Agency Office, No. 42, ROYAL ARCADE, SYDNEY.
Absconders and wife-deserters traced, and all kinds of confidential inquiries instituted. Evidence obtained in divorce, libel, fraud, and incendiary cases for the legal profession and others. Copies of wills, certificates of birth, marriage, or death obtained in any part of the world. R. M. R. having established agencies in all parts of the globe, he is in a position to conduct all inquiries with caution, expedition, and strictest secrecy, and to promptly attend to all business entrusted to his care.

SYDNEY SHEPHERD, Canvasser.—Please call on Miss Barrington at once, at 55, Hunter-street, re books.

THOMAS ROBERTSON, from the Etheridge,—Harper is here. At 8, Bridge-street.

WILLIAM MARTIN, or George Latimer, late of Redfern, call on Jesse Cowley, Council Clk., Newtn., impt.

WILL C. BUCHANAN, of Anthony Hordern and Sons, send address to J. S., Paddington P. O.

WILL gentleman who took Brown HANDBAG, bearing name of J. R. Street, from the rifle range, Paddington, yesterday, please return same to 105, Pitt-street.

Lost and Found.

LEFT in train, 11 p.m., to Sydney, on Thursday, 23rd, small Paper PARCEL. Reward, 19, Botany-street, S. H.

LOST, Gold EYE-GLASSES. Reward. Finckh, jeweller, George-street.

LOST, Black and Tan Terrier PUP, lame on hind leg, good reward. Jorgensen, grocer, 76, Palmer-street.

LOST, a Black RETRIEVER, white spot on breast; reward, 10s. G. H. Hughes, 20, Denham-street, Glebe.

LOST, on 23rd, POCKETBOOK; insurance, with references in. Reward at 300, Sussex-street.

LOST, Brown Water SPANIEL, 2 bald spots on head. Reward, Lyons and M'Alister, Charing Cross, Waverley.

LOST, a Queensland PARROT, grey and green. 5s Reward at 6, Yurong-street.

LOST, Blue Greyhound DOG; finder rewarded. Any person detaining prosecuted. Barker, 411, Liverpool-st.

LOST, Bunch of KEYS, supposed at Theatre Royal night of 23rd. Five shillings reward. Apply W. Mowat, Herbert-street, Summer Hill.

LOST, on Friday afternoon, between 221, Macquarie-street and Phillip-street, Garnet BRACELET, with A. O'B. on gold clasp. Reward on returning to 4, King-street.

LOST, near Elite Rink, Russia-leather Cigarette CASE, containing cigarettes and papers. Reward on returning to Lunacy Office, Chancery-square, top of King-street.

LOST, Bond CERTIFICATE for 35 half-chests Tea, marked P 1089 Y over S 13, warehoused in Grafton Bond; delivery stopped. Apply Grafton Bond.

FOUND, a young black-and-white Slut Cattle DOG. Apply 48, Rose-street, Darlington.

FOLLOWED, from Marrickville, Fox TERRIER. Owner have by describing. Mr. Thompson, grocer, Rockdale.

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Lectures.

MISS VON FINKELSTEIN'S FAREWELL LECTURE,
New Masonic Hall, THIS AFTERNOON,
LIFE IN JERUSALEM. Children, 1s.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.
THE FIFTH LECTURE
of the Winter Course in the Large Hall,
by Rev. Dr. STEEL,
on
MONDAY, AUGUST 27th, at 7.45 p.m.
SUBJECT: "John Bunyan and the Pilgrim's Progress," a Bi-Centenary Memorial, with Lantern Illustrations.
Chairman—Hon. E. KNOX, M.L.C.

THE CHRISTIAN EVIDENCE SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
"SOME DIFFICULTIES OF ATHEISM."
A LECTURE on the above subject will be delivered on THURSDAY EVENING next, the 30th instant, at 8 o'clock, in the TEMPERANCE HALL, Pitt-street, by the Rev. ARTHUR KILLWORTH, B.A., LL.B. His Honor Mr. Justice Stephen will preside. Admission free. The clergy will oblige by announcing this lecture to their congregations. S. S. TOVEY, GEORGE LEWIS, Hon. Secs.

CHRISTIAN EVIDENCE and DEFENCE ASSOCIATION OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
The Fifth LECTURE, under the auspices of this Association, will be given in the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY EVENING, August 28, at 8, by Mr. H. G. Picton. Subject: "The Credibility of Miracles." Questions invited. Doors open at 7.30. Admission, by ticket, 3d. The chair will be taken by Mr. Wm. Wilson, President of the Association. E. GOLE, Hon. Sec.

LIFE AND LABOURS OF PASTOR GEORGE MULLER.
At the request of a number of Christian friends, Mr. MULLER, of Bristol, has consented to deliver two ADDRESSES on the above subject in the Pitt-street Congregational Church on TUESDAY and THURSDAY EVENINGS, the 28th and 30th August. Service will commence at 7.30 promptly. Please bring Sankey's Hymn Book. Come early.

SYDNEY M. SCHOOL OF ARTS.
A LECTURE (illustrated by numerous coloured lantern views) will be given by Mr. Cyril Haviland, THIS (Saturday) EVENING, at 8 o'clock,
"The Old Abbeys of England."
Admission, 6d.
HENRY A. PODMORE, Secretary.

WHAT Would be the Effect of Universal Infidelity? W. W. COLLINS, TO-MORROW EVENING, at the A. S. A. ROOMS, Hunter and Castlereagh streets, 7.30.

SURRY HILLS BRANCH of the CHURCH of ENGLAND ASSOCIATION.
The Rev. E. D. MADGWICK will deliver a LECTURE, entitled "How a High Churchman became a Low Churchman," on the Life of the Rev. William Haslem, in St. Simon and St. Jude's Church, Campbell street, S. H., on
TUESDAY EVENING next, 28th instant, at 8 o'clock,
Admission free.

COOKERY.—Last Demonstration of the season, Tuesday Next. 2.30 p.m. Admission, 1s 6d. 275, Victoria-street.

Business Announcements.

NEW SOUTH WALES COMMISSION for the CENTENNIAL INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION, MELBOURNE, 1888.
REMOVAL OF COMMISSION'S STORES.
From the 23rd AUGUST, and until further notice, the STORES of the New South Wales Commission will, by permission of the New Zealand Loan and M. A. Company, Limited, be at Messrs. George Griffiths and Co.'s Stores, Bridge-street.
W. WILKINS, Secretary.
81, Phillip-street.

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PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.
We have admitted as members of our firm Mr. FRANK OSBORNE, Solicitor and Notary Public, and Messrs. EDWARD AINSWORTH GADEN and DAVID WILLIAM ROXBURGH, Solicitors.
The business will in future be carried on under the style of NORTON, SMITH, WESTGARTH, and CO.
Dated this 20th August, 1888.
NORTON, SMITH, and WESTGARTH,
Solicitors and Notaries,
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THE BUSINESS of Messrs. A. TANGE and CO. will be continued under the Management of Messrs. HENRY P. TANGE and CHARLES COSTLOW. 58, Pitt-street.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.
STEPHEN, JAQUES, and STEPHEN, Solicitors, have removed from their former offices, No. 81, New Pitt-street, to new premises, Nos. 12 and 14, O'Connell-street, opposite Messrs. Newton and Lamb's.

ELECTRIC Belts (Pulvermacher) are the only genuine ones. Frost and Shipham, 474 and 587, Geo.-st., sole agents.

SYDNEY SMITH,
Auctioneer and Valuator,
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85, ELIZABETH-STREET,
near King-street,
nearly opposite Old Office.

HUON (imp.) will try to lower 2 minutes 33½ seconds for one mile on WEDNESDAY NEXT, at Agricultural Grounds, Moore Park. Admission, 1s.

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ACCOUNTANCY (including technical and intricate work) undertaken hour or con. Accountant, Haymarket P. O.

A SMART energetic CANVASSER wanted, good commission, ref. R. P. Agnew, Petersham, opposite station.

AT 106, Bathurst-st. G. I.—Wanted, middle-aged morning Governess, English, French, music, drawing.

ADVERTISER with £100 or £150 wishes to join good going Business—Produce, Grocery, or Tobacconist; city or country. Active, Herald Office.

AN ACCOUNTANT, established in Melbourne, well acquainted with Indenting and Agency business, would like to act in some representative way for one or two Sydney firms. Highest references.
Address Martin Leschkan, care of Mr. W. Kutnewsky, 403, Kent-street.

BOOT TRADE.—Commission TRAVELLER wanted for Northern rivers. Box 42, Post-office, King-street.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted a smart BOY, to feather. John Hunter, Douglass-street, Redfern.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, first-class FITTER to take charge of machine-room. Apply factory, 250, Pitt-street.

BOYS and GIRLS wanted for Juvenile Choir. Apply 3 p.m., Schoolroom, Riley and Devonshire streets.

BRAZILIAN Pebble Spectacles, 5s pair. Frost and Shipham, Geo.-st., op. fruit markets, and 587, Brickfield-hill.

BUTCHERS.—Blackett's and M'Kenzie's Smocks and Aprons on hand. J. Johnson and Co., 243 and 245, Geo.-st.

BRICKLAYER wanted, few days' work. T. S. Richardson, Montreal, George's River-road, Croydon Park, Croydon.
Apply this afternoon.

CABINETMAKERS.—Wanted, first-class HANDS. Mr. Lykke, Rose-street, Darlington.

CHEMISTS.—Wanted, good, reliable, qualified Chemist, to manage. Elliott Bros., Limited.

COMMERCIAL TRAVELLER wanted, to push well-known whiskies, country, commission only. Box 834.

COMPETENT DRESSMAKER by week, references. Apply between 10 and 12 this morning, 80, Hunter-street.

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DRESSMAKER and Milliner for business, country, 45s. 108, Bathurst-street G. Institute.

DRESSMAKING.—Good Bodice and Skirt HANDS. Miss Bannin, Mercantile Buildings, Haymarket.

DUNGAREE CLOTHING.—The best American Dungaree Clothing made at J. Johnson & Co., 243 & 245, Geo.-st.

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ENGLISH AGENCIES.—A gentleman of many years legal, banking, and commercial experience, now in the colony, is desirous of arranging an English Agency; first-class references. J. M., Sydney Morning Herald Office.

FINISHERS.—Wanted at once, a smart Tweed FINISHER. John Vicars and Co., w. mills, 297, Sussex-st.

FIRST-CLASS Coat and Trouser HANDS wanted; constant work. Australian Clothing Factory, 525, Kent-st.

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GOOD House PAINTER wanted. Apply Foreman, A. J. S., Bank, 199, New South Head-road.

GOVERNESS and Companion required. State qualifications, age, and salary required to R. P., Box 359, G. P. O.

GROCER.—Wanted, a young MAN, accustomed to the trade. Apply between 11 and 12, 18, Erskine-street.

GOOD PLASTERERS wanted (4), and 3 Plasterers' Labourers, for Katoomba. Apply from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m., William Carty, 328, Glenmore-road, Rushcutter's Bay.

GOVERNESS.—The ladies who answered Advertisement in this paper, Thursday, 23rd instant, apply Box 145, G. P. O., are informed that the situation is filled.

GASFITTER.—Wanted, good General GASFITTER, for a Gas Company in Queensland; must be first-class workman, steady, and able to repair meters. State age, wages required, &c. Address G. H. Braddock, P. O., Brisbane.

GOVERNESSES and Tutors' Institute, 55, Hunter-st.—Mrs. Mead has waiting, Governess, finishing, medium, and nursery; Lady Helps, Housekeepers, Tutors, Assistant Masters, &c.; first-class testimonials.

GOVERNESSES and TUTORS' INSTITUTE.—H. N. Montagu, 5, Montagu-chambers, Elizabeth and Hunter streets. Families and principals of schools may rely on obtaining thoroughly qualified Gentlewomen as Governesses.

HAIRDRESSER wanted for to-day. 1, Albion-st., opposite Belmore Park.

HAIRDRESSERS.—Wanted, an IMPROVER; one that can shave. H. J. Lovett, Tea Gardens, Waverley.

JUNIOR CLERK wanted; must have good references. Box 665, G. P. O.

JOURNALISM.—A Gentleman of many years' experience in journalism, is prepared to undertake private Tuition of those desirous of entering the profession. Address H. H., care Box 804, G. P. O.

LEGAL.—Good Clerk DISENGAGED, 7 years' experience, £2 per week. R. D., 87, Market-street.

LITHO. Feed BOYS wanted. John Sands, 374, George-street.

LEGAL AGENCY.—A London Solicitor is desirous of arranging for an English Agency; first-class references. W. M., Sydney Morning Herald Office.

OFFICE BOY required, must be smart and intelligent. Apply between 9 and 10, F. Hagen, 317, George-street.

PARALYSIS, Chronic Stiff Joints cured. Professor Kenneth, mesmerist, 143, Phillip-street.

PARTNER desired, £1000, knowledge of store and fat cattle; rich estate; fortune. C. Bate and Co., 208, Pitt-st.

PARTNER.—Energetic person, with little money, would join widow lady, boarding-house. Partner, Crofts, 95, Wm.-st.

PARTNER, or will Sell right out; advertiser with the lead of his trade req. to change. Fulltuition. Gibbs, 189, Pt.st.

PARTNERSHIP in professional occupation in city offered to young gent. of means; £500 and good abilities req. Gibbs.

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PARTNERSHIPS in all classes of city Businesses, trades, and professions. Fullest satisfaction. See Gibbs.

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PLUMBERS.—Wanted, smart BOYS, used to trade. Geo. Boothby, 6, George-street W.

PRINTERS.—Wanted, respectable YOUTH, to work at case and platten; permt. Guardian Office, Waverley.

PARENTS and Guardians.—John Scott and Co., manufacturing stationers and printers, 282, George-street, have Vacancies in several departments for respectable Youths as apprentices. Apply personally to the manager.

PRINCE ALFRED HOSPITAL.
A Junior Resident MEDICAL OFFICER is required. Salary, £50 per annum.
Applications, accompanied by testimonials, will be received by the Honorary Secretary, 205, Macquarie-street, Sydney, up to the 30th instant.
ALFRED ROBERTS,
Hon. Secretary.
24th August, 1888.

REQUIRED, a first-class Analytical and Manufacturing CHEMIST, to superintend works; artificial manures and specialties. Address, salary required and qualifications, to Superphosphate, Herald Office.

REQUIRED, in auctioneering and estate agency office in Melbourne, competent BOOKKEEPER. Applications, stating age, experience, and salary expected, will be received until 30th instant, addressed to
COMPANY,
Exchange, Melbourne.

REQUIRED, a thoroughly competent MINING MANAGER for the Dutchman's Tin Lode Mine, Tablelands, New England.
Applications will be received up to the 1st of September.
State salary, and send copies of testimonials to
29, O'Connell-street, Sydney. JOHN J. WESTON.

REMINGTON TYPEWRITER.—Lessons given, fee £2 2s. No charge to purchasers of machines.
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Clerks should learn this fast selling machine, and increase their salaries.
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Educated youths leaving school find a knowledge of typewriting the best introduction to a situation.
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For particulars, apply to the Sole Agents,
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SIGNWRITER on Glass wanted; also, PAINTER, small job. 181, Gloucester-street, 5 and 6 p.m.

STYLISH French Bonnets and Hats, 1 guinea each. Madame de Thouars, 143, Phillip-street.

SURGEON (duly qualified) required for the China Navigation Company's Steamer Taiwan, sailing for Hongkong about 25th instant. LORIMER, ROME, and CO, Agents, 34, O'Connell-street.

TAILORESS wanted, for first-class trousers finishing, also Improver. No. 11, Louis-street, Redfern.

TEETH Painlessly Extracted under Nitrous Oxide Gas daily. Marshall Bros., dentists, 133, Elizabeth-street.

TO BAKERS.—Wanted, Third HAND. Apply 11 o'clock, James Granger, Parramatta.

TO BUTCHERS.—Wanted, a first-class SMALL-GOODSMAN. Apply 140, Woolloomooloo-st., Wooll'mooloo.

TO CHEMISTS.—An opening for the above business in the suburbs. Address Kalrin, G. P. O.

TO GRAINERS.—A first-class HAND. Apply Mort's Dock, Balmain.

TO TAILORS.—Wanted, Coat HANDS for the country. 1, Wynyard-street.

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TO TAILORS.—Wanted, first-class Coat HANDS. Apply 297, George-street.

TO TAILORS.—Wanted, a good COAT HAND, young man preferred, constant work. Masters, Burwood.

TO TAILORESSES.—Wanted, smart GIRL to learn vest-making. 63, Wellington-street, Kingston, Newtown.

TRAVELLER wanted to canvass family trade. Edinburgh Brewery, Catherine-street, Leichhardt.

TWO good JOINERS wanted. E. W. Verdich, Darlington-road, Darlington.

TYPEWRITERS, new and second-hand. Typewriting Taught. Shorthand Skool, Commercial Academy, 62, Hunter-st.

TO BUTCHERS.—Wanted, PARTNER with £50 to £100, or Plant tantamount to above. Direct yours Z. X. Y., Herald Office.

TROTTING and GALLOPING RACES at Agricultural Grounds, Moore Park, WEDNESDAY NEXT. Admission, 1s.

TAILORESSES.—Wanted, good Trousers and Vest HANDS, for our new Workrooms, Monday morning, plenty of light and room. Pearce and Hayward, 492, George-street, opposite Markets.

TO ARCHITECTS and BUILDERS.—A young man with experience wishes to Purchase a small SHARE as Partner in an Architect's or Builder's Business. Address S. E., Herald Office.

TO BAKERS.—A grand opening offered young business couple in good suburb, first-class premises; rent to start, 21s week; bona-fide chance. STRONGMAN and CO., Burwood Station.

TO CHEMISTS.—Wanted to RE-APPRENTICE Youth; served about 12 months, in consequence of indisposition in master's family; highest references to honesty and capabilities. Apply Pharmacist, Herald Office.

TO CAPITALISTS.—Wanted, a FEW GENTLEMEN to FORM a LOAN COMPANY on new principle, with limited liability, and act as directors of same; splendid investment, returning about 25 per cent. Principals only need apply for full particulars to Investor, Herald. No anonymous replies considered.

TO MASTER BAKERS AND PASTRYCOOKS.
An Office of the N. S. W. Master Bakers' and Pastrycooks' Association for the Registration of Names of Reliable Workmen is now open at No. 99, Elizabeth-street (4 doors from King-st).
Masters and Workmen,—Please apply for particulars to above Association.
E. JESSEP, Hon. Sec. P.T.

TO THE MEDICAL PROFESSION.
A Qualified DOCTOR is required to establish in very suitable ground floor private rooms, facing the best part of Hyde Park, Sydney, a central medical consulting BUREAU (or similar institution) for supplying the public with reliable advice (with or without pure medicines) at popular fees, &c. Advertiser, who has part of premises on long lease and owns part, would provide rooms, gas, &c., free of all charge, but would expect a share of fees or rent. Rooms can be inspected after the 15th September, 1888. In meantime, address, in strict confidence, stating qualifications, age, positions held &c., to Medicus, care of Park-street Post-office, when an appointment will be made.

VACANCY for young man to learn Hairdressing, small premium. Webster, Sydney Arcade, up stairs.

WANTED, a competent MILLINER, for the country. Apply Miss Georgeson, 58, Stanley-street.

WANTED, first-class Machinist (wood worker). Apply J. C. Harrison and Son, builders, Parramatta-rd., Ashfield.

WANTED, Flint Bottle HANDS. Apply Southern Cross Glass Bottle Works, Dow-street, Port Melbourne.

WANTED, a competent MANAGER for boot factory. Apply Crispin, G. P. O., Box 959.

WANTED, an intelligent LAD to learn professional business; no premium required. Box 879, G. P. O.

WANTED, CLERK, for solicitor's office, good writer, with knowledge of Court work. Leges, Herald Office.

WANTED, good Marble MASON. Apply Marble Yard, Hamilton-street, off Bridge-street.

WANTED, a good Iron Fitter and an Improver. C. Mayes, contractor, Public Library.

WANTED, a first-class CANVASSER, on commission. 42, Sydney Arcade, King-street, Sydney.

WANTED at once, good UPHOLSTERERS. T. Smith, Norton, and Co., 30, Hunter-street.

WANTED at once, good FRENCH-POLISHERS. T. Smith, Norton, and Co., 30, Hunter-street.

WANTED, a competent CABINETMAKER, having a knowledge of frame work. Newton and Lamb.

WANTED, HAIRDRESSER for Saturday. 208, Elizabeth-street.

WANTED, smart young MAN, for grocery business, able drive. Joyner Bros., Evans and Beattie sts., Balmain.

WANTED, PARTNER, £160, suit steady young tailor and cutter. Loder and Co., 147, Elizabeth-street.

WANTED, respectable LAD, for manufacturers' agency office; refs. R. Singer and Co., 268, George-st.

WANTED, Commercial TRAVELLER, who can take additional commission grocery trade. Box 11, Exchange.

WANTED, first-class HAIRDRESSER and Shaver for to-day. 18, Kent-street, Miller's Point.

WANTED, smart CUTTER, for paper bag manufactory. Apply by letter to Century, P. O., King-street.

WANTED, a MACHINIST to make up ticking. E. Lucas, 234, Pitt-street, near Park-street.

WANTED, FEEDER (letterpress machines). J. W. Eedy, printer, &c., 10, Park and Castlereagh-streets.

WANTED, a respectable Youth, for office; one used to grocery pref. With testim'ls, A. H. H., P. O., Redfern.

WANTED, a BUTCHER, to drive cart and make himself useful. T. Playfair, 103, Lower George-street.

WANTED, a good HAIRDRESSER. Apply 112, Oxford-street, opposite Crown-street. G. Everad.

WANTED, a strong LAD used to striking in a shoeing forge. J. Ferguson, 294, Sussex-street.

WANTED, 2 respectable BOYS, for Ironmongery. Apply Monday morning, P. Harris and Co., 266, Geo-ge-st.

WANTED, a LAD for blacksmith's shop, one used to striking. Apply 12, Kensington-street.

WANTED, 2 good TRAVELLERS, work Sydney and suburbs, grocery, ironmongery. Traveller, Herald.

WANTED, good TRAVELLER for town and suburbs, for fancy leather and basils. Basil, Herald Office.

WANTED, 2 respectable young Men, travel Drapery, refs. req. Apply 8 a.m., 358, Castlereagh-st., Haymarket.

WANTED, CARPENTERS and Stonecutters. Apply J. M'Mahon and Co., George and Redfern sts., Redfern.

WANTED, OYSTERMAN, for oyster lease immediately. W. C. Browne, St. Hubert's Isle, Brisbane Wtr.

WANTED, MAN, to work circular saw, to cut firewood. Jones Brothers, wood & coal merchants, Dixon-st.

WANTED, good HORSESHOER and general Blacksmith. Apply to J. Hayden, Cook-road, Marrickville.

WANTED, a good CARPENTER. Apply Lapish and Groves, Regent-street, Redfern.

WANTED, smart IMPROVER to the watchmaking. Apply Bosch, Barthell, and Co., 409, George-street.

WANTED, Shoeing and General SMITH. Apply John Came, Blacktown.

WANTED, a first-class SOAPMAKER, plain and fancy; English and foreign experience. Caustic, Herald.

WANTED, an experienced WOOL-CLASSER, immediately. Apply Dalgety and Co., 5, Bent-street.

WANTED, competent Foreman Litho. PRINTER. M'Carron, Bird, and Co., 112, Collins-st. W., Melbourne.

WANTED, good Body HANDS. 66, Darlinghurst-road.

WANTED, strong Youth, or young Man, accustomed to cordial factory pref. H. E. Pratten and Co., Croydon.

WANTED, a practical FOREMAN, to take charge of a large building in the city. Apply Builder, Post-office, Redfern. References required.

WANTED, a good SADDLER and Harness Maker (single man preferred) for the country. Apply between 10 and 12 a.m., at Frank Grimley's, 263, Clarence-street.

WANTED, a Nursery GOVERNESS, to take the entire charge of three young children. Apply Mrs. J. Wetherill, Devon, Church-street, Randwick.

WANTED, Junior CLERK, office and store work combined; must have a good handwriting; references required. Address P. O., B. 165.

WANTED, a first-class DIAMOND DRILL-BORER. Apply, by letter, with references, to G. A. Key, 88, Pitt-street, Sydney.

WANTED, for the Ore-crushing Company Works, Balmain, a first-class ELECTRO-PLATER. Apply to G. A. Key, 88, Pitt-street, Sydney.

WANTED, first-class General HAND for a country store, must be well up in drapery, also able to keep books and take charge of business during absence of principal. Apply Box 82, G. P. O.

WANTED, a Junior CLERK, about 18; good penman and quick at figures. Apply with testimonials at 10 o'clock, Monday morning, Henfrey and Co., 35, Castlereagh-street.

WANTED, a Lady, of first-class experience, as MANAGER for our show-room.
HORDERN and COMPANY,
486, 488, 490, George-street.

WANTED, Master Plasterers and Builders to know that Journeymen Plasterers can be had by applying to Labour Secretary on Monday, Wednesday, and Saturday, between 7 and 9 p.m., Swan-with-Two-Necks, George and Park streets.

WANTED, a General MANAGER, for a tobacco factory; must have a thorough knowledge of manufacturing tobacco, and possess good general business qualifications. Apply by letter only, to Manager, care of Messrs. Metcalfe and Co., Bridge-street, Sydney.

WANTED, for the Casino Hospital, a Married COUPLE, without encumbrance, as Matron and Wardsman, must have a knowledge of hospital work; salary £75 per annum, with quarters, furnished; with references. Apply to Dr. M'CORMICK, 205, Macquarie-street, Sydney, on or before MONDAY, the 27th instant, between the hours of 9 and 11.30 a.m.

Situations Wanted.

A CARPENTER DISENGAGED, alterations, repairs, &c. Mechanic, Herald Office.

A COMPETENT Lady's Nurse disengaged for October and November, refs. Address Trust, P. O., Woollahra.

ADVERTISER (25), seeks SITUATION, store, warehouse, any place trust, 7 years' refs. Trustworthy, Herald.

A LADY seeks Engagement as Useful Companion, or to take charge and educate children. Nile, P. O., Oxford-st.

ALL Classes Female Servants disengaged, town or country, refs. Simmonds' Registry, 222, Castlereagh-street.

AN ENGINEDRIVER, fitter, blacksmith, and handy single Man seeks Employment, refs., mod. S., 83, Market-st.

AT the Servants' Home, 83, Market-st.—No charge made to employers engaging male serv. for coun. or town.

A YOUNG Lady desires SITUATION as Lady Help, domesticated, good needlewoman. Lily, P. O., Millers Pt.

AN EDUCATED LADY desires an ENGAGEMENT as Companion to an invalid lady. Address Z., Herald Office.

A SELECT REGISTRY OFFICE and GENERAL AGENCY.—Mrs. BRIOT'S, 298, Crown-street, Surry Hills, near Oxford-street. Patronage kindly solicited.

A LADY of experience, a Protestant, is anxious to obtain an APPOINTMENT as HOUSEKEEPER to a gentleman, and would also undertake the charge of his children; references exchanged. Address W. L., Herald Office.

A GENTLEMAN, with 17 years' experience in the management of large plantations, including the keeping of the books and accounts thereof, desires EMPLOYMENT; active occupation combined with office work preferred; speaks several languages. Address G. V., care of J. R. Fairfax, Herald office.

AT 106, Bathurst-st. G. Institute.—Waiting, young English Governess, English, French, music, singing, draw., needlewoman; exp. Visiting Finishing Governess, sketches and painting from nature; young English N. Governess, L. Helps, L. Maid, good Needlewoman and Dressmaker, 8 years' refs.; exp. Cook, hotel Cook, C. L. and H. P. Maids, several H. P. Maids, exp. Nurse and N.; widow with boy 5, exp. Laundress; M. Couples, exp. Groom and C., Cooks, Indian Servants, useful Boys.

BARMAID (competent) requires SITUATION; references. Apply 124, Princes-street, Church-hill.

BOOKKEEPER, competent, wants Situation in town; first-class refs. from last employer. W. B. Herald Office.

BURWOOD, Allen's Reg.—Waiting, 2 C. and L., 1 H. and P. M., 14s; 2 comp. H. M., refs.; 1 comp. G. S., 15s.

BY steady middle-aged man, Groom, milk, garden, otherwise useful, reference. J. M., Haymarket P. O.

BY good Man, 27, groom, garden, milk, drive, mow, &c., country pref., refs. Simmonds, 222, Castlereagh-st.

BY good Men Cooks, Milkers, Gardeners, Bakers, Ploughmen, useful Men. Simmonds, 222, Castlereagh-st.

BY good Cooks (female), C. and L., Dressmakers, Governesses, N. and N. Simmonds, 222, Castlereagh-st.

BY respectable person, SITUATION as Housemaid, gentleman's fam.; good refs. Apply 142, Brougham-street.

BOOKKEEPER.—Wanted, by competent Bookkeeper, SITUATION in town; first-class references from last employer. W. B., Herald Office.

CANVASSER disengaged, newspaper, many years' experience, city and suburbs. Alert, 577, Riley-st., S. H.

CLERK, to fill up spare time, would copy for lawyer or make up tradesman's books. W. S., Herald Office.

COMPETENT General Clerk, excellent city references, offers services, 50s weekly. Box 1158, G. P. O.

CIVIL ENGINEER, Assoc. M. I. C. E., Eng., with 15 years English and colonial experience of railway construction, survey, plan, and measurement work, is now open for engagement. Address K. N. O., Herald Office.

DOMESTICATED English Lady desires Situation as useful Companion or Housekeeper. Isabel, P. O., P'dington.

DRESSMAKER.—First-class Cutter and Fitter DISENGAGED, weekly, good refs. F. G., Darlington P. O.

DRESSMAKER wants Work, weekly, good fitter, own machine and pinking. Nina, Post-office, Oxford-street.

ELECTRIC Belts (Pulvermachers) are the only genuine ones. Frost and Shipham, 474 and 587, Geo.-st., sole agents.

ENGINEER, thoroughly practical, holding first-class certificates, and 9 years' experience on large ocean steamers, is open to ENGAGEMENT on shore, understands refrigerating and electric lighting machinery, and is a good manager of men. Address Engineer, care of Messrs. Bignell and Clark, George-st., Camperdown.

HORSE Proprietors.—Wanted, Engagement as Trainer, management of stable, &c. D. M., 159, George-st. North.

HOTELKEEPERS.—Thoroughly competent young Lady wishes Situation, Barmaid; refs. G. M., Herald.

HOUSEMAID wishes SITUATION in hotel, town or suburbs. Apply G. B., Herald Office.

INDENT TRAVELLER.—Wanted, RE-ENGAGEMENT as above, or buyer; thorough knowledge in town and country, and good experience as buyer in the home market. Address D. D., Herald Office.

LADY desires ENGAGEMENT, as Companion or Governess, Eng., French, music, needlework. Hope, Herald.

LADY desires Engagements, socials, parties, classes. Pianists, 111, St. John's-road, Forest Lodge.

MANAGER or Barman, hotel, city or country, 4 years last situation. Security. Apply G. R. O., Herald Office.

MARRIED Man wants SITUATION, groom, porter, or any place of trust. G. H., Herald Office.

MASONIC Brother, distressed, seeks Employment, any capacity or place of trust, good refs. J. B., Park-st. P.O.

MRS. MONROE, Reg. Office, 10, Park-st.—Heads of Fam., &c., Hotelkeepers.—Serv. wait., male female Cooks.

ORGANIST.—Lady wishes Position as above, no salary, town or suburbs, C. of E. pref. Organist, P. O., William-st.

PRACTICAL Gardener wants Situation, married, town or country, refs. pers'l, writ'n. Gardener, 125, Devonshire-st.

RESPECTABLE Person wants Situation, as Housemaid or House M. assist bar; op. week. 561, Castlereagh-st.

RESPECTABLE Barmaid Disengaged, public bar pref., references. B., 6, Belgravia-ter., Harris-st., Pyrmont.

RESPECTABLE Young Person would give fortnight service to learn bar, conf., fruit bus. E. F., 7, Harmer-st.

SITUATION by young Woman, W. Housekeeper to gentlemen; good cook, laundress; refs. A. B., Glebe P. O.

SITUATION wanted, strong, clean, steady Girl, 17, Protestant. Frances, Woollahra Post-office, until Tuesday.

TO STOREKEEPERS.—Wanted, Situation by first-class grocer. W., 19, Gloucester-ter., Macquarie-st. South.

WANTED, SITUATION on dairy farm, can milk, work in a garden, good refs. Apply Dairy, Herald Office.

WANTED, SITUATION, Engine Driver; do fitting; blacksmith. J. W. T., Herald.

WANTED, a SITUATION as House and Parlour Maid, open 5 days. A. C., Summer Hill Post-office.

WANTED by a young Lady, Engagement as Companion or N. G., mus. and d'cn. H. C., P. O., Ashfield.

WANTED, Situation as Practical Gardener, Groom, and Milkman, references. James, 15, Park-street.

WANTED, SITUATION as plain Cook or Cook and Laundress, gent.'s fam., city. H. S., 7, William-st., Pad.

WANTED, by competent Dressmaker, Engage., any capacity, or other lucrative Engage. Ultimo, P.O., Haymkt.

WANTED, SITUATION as Housekeeper by young Widow lady. Address Beaufort, Herald.

WANTED, by young Person, SITUATION as Nurse or Nursery Housemaid, North Shore or country. Clem, Herald Office.

WANTED, by a competent Housekeeper, a SITUATION in hotel or for two or three gentlemen, working or otherwise; good references. A. B. C., Post-office, Summer Hill. Open 5 days.

WANTED, ENGAGEMENT as Working Foreman, by carpenter and joiner, had long experience in all branches of building trades. Address Builder, Post-office, Balmain.

WANTED, by a thorough practical Cordial and Aerated Water Manufacturer, 12 years' experience in all its branches, SITUATION, in country preferred. Apply T. T., Haymarket Post-office.

WANTED, EMPLOYMENT, by trustworthy handy man, can drive (married), city or suburbs, 7 years' references, also personal one from present employer; open one week. H. W., Ashfield Post-office.

WANTED by a middle-aged Man, EMPLOYMENT, town or country; handy man about hotel; accustomed to horse; can milk, garden, and generally useful; three years in last place; wages no object if a comfortable home; none need apply unless; open for a week. J. W. O., Orient Hotel, corner of Argyle and George streets.

YOUNG Girl, 16 years old, arrived from England, Nurse, Maid, or Help. 92A, Cumberland-street, Sydney.

YOUNG LADY wants SITUATION as lady help or useful companion. Urgent, G. P. O.

YOUNG Person desires SITUATION, homely family, treated same. Address A. A., News Agency, Summer Hill.

YOUNG Man, with £50, wants profitable EMPLOYMENT for himself and same; no canvassing. A. H., Herald.

YOUNG experienced widow lady requires the Management of first-class hotel. Omeo, Herald Office.

YOUNG widow Lady requires POSITION as Housekeeper in first-class Hotel; has had experience, references. Address Hamilton, Herald Office.

Servants Wanted

A COMPETENT PARLOURMAID. Mrs. Whitton, M'Laren-st., St. Leonards. Tram from Milson's Point.

A GIRL, about 16, wanted as General SERVANT. 13, Campbell-street, Balmain, near Scotch Church.

A GIRL to mind two young children and make herself useful. 3, Craigend-street, Darlinghurst.

A GOOD General SERVANT wanted. Apply Mrs. Brown's Registry Office, Miller-street, North Shore.

A GOOD General SERVANT wanted, small family. Mrs. Smith, 466, Cleveland-street, Surry Hills.

A MIDDLE-AGED PERSON required for small family, Protestant, refs. Apply 80, Glenmore-road.

A RESPECTABLE General SERVANT wanted (Prot.) references. Lorneville, 86, Elizabeth Bay.

A SERVANT wanted. Apply early, 158, Macquarie-street South.

A SMART BOY wanted; must write well, salary, 5s a week. Apply A., Herald Office.

AT the Home, 83, Market-st.—Wanted, Waiters, Cooks, Milkers, Bush Drivers, M. Carters, M. Couples, Boys, &c.

AT the Home, 83, Market-st. (female dept.)—Wanted, W. Housekeeper for widower, 2 children, country; others.

AT Miss Butler's, 112, Market-st.—Wanted, Lad, as Gardener and useful; also Lad for stn., milk, twn., country.

AT Mrs. PERRIE'S, 168, Castlereagh-st.—Wanted, young H'maid, H. and P.'s, General; Cook and Laundress.

AT Mrs. Briot's Registry, 298, Crown-st., S. H., near Oxford-street.—Useful Girls, Generals, wanted.

A RESPECTABLE young lady wanted as BARMAID, in a first-class hotel; must be of good address. Apply after 10 o'clock, at E. Rowland's, 390, George-street.

AN intelligent industrious young Lady required as HELP and Companion; must be well educated. Send full particulars as to age, salary, &c., to G. S., Post-office, Paddington.

AT 108, Bathurst-st. G. Institute.—Wanted, M Couple, Marrickville, groom and C., milk, wife C. L., £75; Mount Victoria, £75; Sutton Forrest, Gardener, useful, wife housekeeper and caretaker, £75; smart Youth, Groom and Useful, sub.

AT 108, Bathurst-st. G. Institute.—Wanted, exp. C. L., 20s, hotel, country; C. L. and H. P. Maid, suburbs; C. L., H. P. Maid, city, 2 fam; Parlour Maid, 15s, N. Shore; H. P. Maid, 16s, hotel, W. Maitland; 15s, Oberon, good places; sev. G. Servants, city and suburbs; Under Nurse, 10s, Mount Victoria; several useful Girls, G. Servants, hotels, city.

BOY wanted, strong and respectable. Apply 346, George-street, 10 o'clock.

BOYS wanted, respectable, little. Australian Type Foundry, 91A, Clarence-street.

ELECTRIC Belts (Pulvermachers) are the only genuine ones. Frost and Shipham, 474 and 587, Geo.-st., sole agents.

EXPERIENCED NURSE required, 2 children. pers. refs. Mrs. Antill-Pockley, St. Leonard House, St. Leon'ds.

EARTHENWARE PACKER wanted, must be thoroughly experienced. Apply 10 a.m. Monday, Feldheim Gotthelf and Co., Moore-street.

EXPERIENCED MATRON, certificated trained Nurse for Townsville Hospital, salary £78 per annum, duties to commence 15th September. Applications, endorsed Matron, to be addressed A. G. Bundock, Esq., president, not later than the 5th September.

GENERAL SERVANT, young. Open till Monday. Ravenhurst, Neville-st., Petersham, op. Norwood Park.

HOUSEKEEPER wanted, gent's family, sev. servants kept, exp. necessary. M'Donald's office, Russell-st., Melb.

RESPECTABLE young GIRL wanted. Apply 237, William-street, Darlinghurst.

SLEEPER-CHOPPERS wanted. Apply Goodlet and Smith, foot of Harris-street, Pyrmont.

STRONG YOUTH wanted to take out parcels. References required. J. Scott and Co., 282, George-street.

SURVEYOR'S CHAINMAN, also COOK wanted, for Bourke. Apply 17, Hamilton-street.

THOROUGH General SERVANT wanted for Woollahra. Apply after 10. Refs. 363, Crown-st., Surry Hills.

TWO SERVANTS wanted, family 3, cook, laundress, nurse, housework, English preferred. M. D., Herald.

USEFUL GIRL, to assist in housework, wanted. 127, New South Head-road, Rushcutter Bay.

WAITER, smart, wanted. Victoria Coffee Palace, Market-street.

WANTED, STONE-BREAKERS. Apply 275, Riley-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, good General SERVANT, good wages; references. Mrs. Moynam, 192, Darling-st., Balmain.

WANTED, two or three HANDS, used to lime works. Excelsior Lime Company, 171, York-street.

WANTED, Married MAN, to drive van; must be sober and not afraid of work. Apply by letter to Sanders and Horne, 62, King-street.

WANTED, a Chief COOK, for Gillham's dining rooms, 201, Pitt-street.

WANTED, a smart young MAN, for dairy. Apply Gillham's, 26, Market-street, Sydney.

WANTED, good General Servant, small family; references. 72, Dowling-st., Moore Park, near Bourke-st.

WANTED, young GIRL, assist housework; another servant kept, for Bondi. 1, Lankelly-ter., Macleay-st.

WANTED, a HOUSEMAID. Apply to Mrs. R. R. D. White, Brooklyn, Double Bay, Monday, 10 and 12 o'c.

WANTED, respectable GIRL, for general housework. Apply, with personal references, 121, Paddington-st., Pad.

WANTED, an experienced WAITRESS. Also, Maid day. Apply, 92, King-street, Fresh Food and Ice Co.

WANTED, a respectable GIRL, about 16, to be useful in house and assist shop. 100, Mansfield-st., Balmain.

WANTED, SERVANTS, Registry Office, Boundary-street, near Public school, Croydon.

WANTED, competent COOK and Laundress. Mrs. Masele, Kurraba, Thrupps' Point, Neutral Bay.

WANTED, respectable Girl, 16, NURSE, 2 children. Tynilba, Gordon-street and Rowley-place, Burwood.

WANTED, a useful GIRL. Apply Mrs. Clarkson, Thessalus, Allison-road, Randwick.

WANTED, a respectable Person, as General SERVANT; good wages paid. 241, Cleveland-street West.

WANTED, General SERVANT, three in family. Penrice, Boyce-street, Glebe Point.

WANTED, good General SERVANTS. Mrs. Coles, Enmore Agency, Enmore.

WANTED, House and Parlour MAID, small family. Thornleigh, Concord-road, Concord.

WANTED, a respectable WOMAN for country. Apply after 4 p.m., at Finchley, Hill-street, Newtown.

WANTED, respectable GIRL, assist house and children. Mrs. Moon, 106, William-st., Woolloomooloo.

WANTED, a HOUSEMAID. Apply Tenby Club, Wynyard-square.

WANTED, WOMAN, experienced, to take charge Ironing Department. S. S. Laundry, Crown and Stanley sts.

WANTED, young PERSON as Barmaid. White's Southern Cross Hotel, King-street.

WANTED, young GIRL as general Servant. Apply 18, Boyce-street, Glebe Point.

WANTED, experienced NURSE for 2 young children, wages 12s. Mrs. Sly, College, Homebush.

WANTED, a General SERVANT, for a small family, refs. required. Mrs. Hudson, Charlotte-street, Ashfield.

WANTED, General SERVANT, small family, good wages. Ingalara, Victoria-street, Ashfield.

WANTED, good, trustworthy, strong Cook, Laundress. Call at 1, Maratha-avenue, Darling Point.

WANTED, thorough General SERVANT, nurse kept, Mrs. Owen Blacket, Fairholme, Victoria-street, Ashfield.

WANTED, good General SERVANT, no family or boarders, University Hotel, Camperdown.

WANTED, a respectable Person as General SERVANT. 25, Quay-street, Ultimo.

WANTED, General SERVANT, two in family, good wages. Walker, corner Union and Pyrmont sts., Pyr't.

WANTED, a useful GIRL, to mind children. Mrs. Perdrian, Adolphus-street, Balmain.

WANTED, a respectable GIRL, for housework. Mrs. J. Harrison, close to station, Regent-street.

WANTED, respectable, sober WOMAN, to wash one day in week. Love's Oxford Hotel, Erskine-street.

WANTED, respectable BOY, for housework. 1, Sterling Villas, Oxford-street, North Kingston, Newtown.

WANTED, respectable General SERVANT. 53, Harris-street, Ultimo.

WANTED, a MAN to cab-drive, wages; also, a Groom. M. Costigan, Wallis-street, Woollahra.

WANTED, a GIRL, to mind two children, and be generally useful. 3, Craigend-street, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, a good RUNNER, no duffers need apply. James' Family Hotel, Kent and Crescent streets.

WANTED, a young Person to make herself useful in a house. Apply 31, Raglan-street, Darlington.

WANTED, smart LAD, accustomed hotel work. Apply early, Belle Vue Hotel, Regent-street, Redfern.

WANTED, smart KITCHENMAN. Apply No. 2 Sydney Coffee Palace Hotel, 233, George-street.

WANTED, young Girl, as General Servant, able to wash and iron, refs. Mrs. Strong, 151, Underwood-st., Pa.

WANTED, 40 active young MEN, as Rouseabouts, for stations. 10 a.m., Hill, Clark, and Co., 129, Pitt-st.

WANTED, General SERVANT, 2 in family. Mrs. Joseph, Stirling-terrace, Parramatta-road, 2 doors Ross-st.

WANTED, General SERVANT, and to assist in bar. Albion Hotel, corner Glebe and Cowper streets, Glebe.

WANTED, a smart LAD. Collin's Agency, Summer Hill.

WANTED, steady CAB-DRIVER. Stables, Albion and Crown streets, Surry Hills.

WANTED, an experienced Barmaid for private bar, Barley Mow. Apply after 10 o'clock, morning.

WANTED, young Girl as General SERVANT, one who can wash. Apply 192, Macquarie-street South.

WANTED, tidy GIRL, 15, assist children and useful, good home. 85, Oxford-street.

WANTED, thorough General SERVANT, able to cook. 48, Young-street, near Bent-street, city.

WANTED, a BOY, to make himself useful. The Peel, Tamworth Mansions, Darlinghurst-road.

WANTED, a NURSEGIRL. Apply Malta, Glenmore-road, Paddington.

WANTED, a little GIRL to be useful. Apply Mrs. Hastings, Norton-st., near William-st., Leichhardt.

WANTED, Ploughmen, single Gardener for station, Milkmen. Glue's Agency, 44, Hunter-street.

WANTED, young Man to work in country cordial factory, one used to the work. Glue's, 44, Hunter-street.

WANTED, smart MAN, used to horses, to drive a tip cart. Apply 492, Jones-street, Ultimo.

WANTED, good General SERVANT, for housework and assist in bar. Blue Lion Hotel, Elizabeth-street, Sam.

WANTED, smart BOY to distribute handbills. 369, Kent-street. Apply 9.30.

WANTED, man Cook and Baker, station, high wages, meet employer 11 a.m., refs. Craggs, 240, Castlereagh-st.

WANTED, respectable General SERVANT, small family. Apply 1, Olivette-terrace, Glenmore-road.

WANTED, respectable GIRL, small family, good home. references required. 143, William-street.

WANTED, thoroughly experienced Nurse and Needlewoman. Mrs. L. E. Cohen, 30, Bayswater-rd., D'hurst.

WAITING, exp. H. P. Maids, hotel Waitresses, exp. Working Housekeeper. Mrs. Welsh, Railway-st., Peters.

WANTED, good General SERVANT. Apply All Souls Parsonage, Leichhardt.

WANTED, G. S., plain cooking, no washing. Saturday morning, T. Cross and Co., Parramatta-rd., Peters.

WANTED, young GIRL, mind baby, help household. 4, Rae-street, Randwick.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT, young girl preferred. 290, Victoria-street, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, respectable young Girl as Gen. Servant; refs. reqd. After 9, Burdekin Hotel, Wm. and Bourke sts.

WANTED, a strong LAD; wages 10s per week. 36, Palmer-street, Woolloomooloo.

WANTED, respectable young Girl, for general housework, 4 in family, reference. 370, Pitt-street South.

WANTED, GIRL, assist in general housework. Apply Stacliffe, 162, Waverley-road, Tea Gardens, after 10 a.m.

WANTED, young GIRL, to assist in housework, or good General Servant. Penchlo, Beattie-st., Balmain.

WANTED, respectable young Woman, as General Servant, 2 in family. 63, Muliens-street, Balmain.

WANTED, good PLOUGHMAN, for Macleay River, wages at £40 per annum, board and lodging for three months. Apply 9.30, 33, Sussex-street.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT, one accustomed to cooking. Apply, with refs., to Creswell, Glebe Point, near Ferry's. Gas stove.

WANTED, a Cook and Laundress, 22s, for gent's family, Goulburn; a Cook and Laundress, 18s, station; a Dressmaker, 25s, with board, country, meet lady house 11 o'clock. Simmonds, 222, Castlereagh-street.

WANTED, a SUB-MATRON for the Church Home; must be a competent laundress and able to take entire charge of the laundry. Apply at the Home, corner of Crown and Albion streets, Surry Hills.

WANTED, a Married COUPLE, for Sutton Forest—the man to groom, garden, milk, &c.; wife as General Servant. Apply Saturday or Monday to A. Tange and Co., 58, Pitt-street.

WANTED, Lady HELP, small family, no servant kept, agreeable, industrious person and pleasant home. Apply any morning, Rowsley, Chesterfield Parade, off Cemetery-road, Waverley.

WANTED, for a station on the Richmond River, a respectable Woman as WORKING HOUSEKEEPER. Apply, before 1 o'clock, to Mrs. Close, Merryula, Walker-street, North Shore.

WANTED, a Gardener, £1, Goulburn; a general Butcher, slaughter, smallgoods, &c., 30s and keep, country, good place; a Horsedriver, £45, station; a Gardener and Milkman, &c., station, £1; a second hand Baker, 17s 6d and keep; a Married Couple, wife as cook and do the ironing, husband groom, garden, &c., £75, suburb. 222, Castlereagh-street.

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